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OUTLINES.

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The preliminaries to the trial of Haywood, Moyer, Pettibone, to whom President Roosevelt alluded as "undesirable citizens," began at Boise, Idaho, yesterday; they are charged with the assassination of Governor Steunenberg, who was killed by a bomb and the proceedings yesterday was a motion by the attorneys for the defense for a bill of particulars in the case of William D. Haywood, who is charged with being the real murderer of the Governor.——President Roosevelt, by touching a button at the White House in Washington yesterday fired three shots which inaugurated the schnetzenfest at Charleston; the President heard the shots by telephone, and also listened to national airs played by the band, and three cheers given for him by the festive shooters.——Rev. Dr. John Watson (Ian McLaren), the famous English author, died yesterday at Mount Pleasant, Iowa, where he had gone to lecture; he wrote "Beside the Bonnie Briar Bush," and many other books.——"Major" Guthrie, a negro, is in jail at Durham, charged with the murder of his wife, who was found dead in bed with his photograph on her breast.——The government meat inspectors are conferring with Secretary of Agriculture Wilson at Chicago, the number of employes of the government being 2,029 in 669 establishments.——A verdict of guilty was rendered against eleven Italians at Wilkesbarre, Pa., yesterday on charges of "Black Hand" crimes.——Diplomatic relations between Mexico and Guatemala have been severed, Mexico having withdrawn her Minister because Guatemala refused to surrender the assassins of Ex-President Barrilas.——The Jamestown Exposition Company is endeavoring to raise $400,000 to complete the exposition.——New York markets: Money on call, steady 2 1-2 to 3 per cent.; ruling rate, 2 3-4; closing bid, 2 1-2; offered at 3; spot cotton, 20 points higher, closing steady at 11.70; flour, firm but dull; wheat, firm, No. 2 red, 91 elevator; corn, easy, No. 2, 59 elevator; oats, steady, mixed, 47 1-2 to 48; turpentine, steady, 66 3-4 to 67 1-2; rosin, firm.

The Spanish stork evidently has no pacing partner. Its gait is leisurely.

The weather in Wilmington yesterday was the peek-a-boo and white Oxford variety.

Attorney General Bonaparte, ex-Democrat, says the Democratic party lacks conscience. The jury, however, will have to carefully weigh the testimony of deserters.

A Vice Presidential boom has been started for Uncle Joe Cannon. We don't know who started it, but that manner of shelving Uncle Joe is approved. We have been waiting for just such a blow to be struck.

A contemporary kicks because the trusts go right on prospering "in suite of Roosevelt's activity." His activity cuts no ice with them; they're doing business under what a Republican 'Congress does for them and refuses to undo.

Commander Peary is making arrangements to go on another search for the North Pole, but says he won't make the start until $100,000 is raised for him. We hate to buck against Peary, but as we need the money we'll just have to put in a lower bid. We'll "make the start" for $50,000.

A Virginia contemporary remarks: "It is hard for the papers to say whether Roosevelt is more Democrat than Republican." This comes of editors neglecting their acquaintance to such an extent that they wouldn't know a Democrat if they met him in the road.

It is stated that Mrs. Dowie, wife of Alexander Dowie, alias Elijah III, is taking in boarders for a livelihood. Some pity is expressed for her, but it is none of our business. Our recollection is that she joined his enemies, got his property out of his hands and the litigation that resulted left her out as well as the Prophet.

A fresh rucus has broken out between the Charlotte Observer and the Charleston News and Courier, with the Norfolk Landmark and other Sandy Sniffles egging on the row, as to whether Andrew Jackson were born in North Carolina or South Carolina. Even if it should turn out that Tillman's State were his birthplace Old Hickory should not be held responsible for it.

Federal officeholders have heretofore believed that holding an office did not conflict with their right to have and to hold and to express their individual opinions and to exercise their choice when it comes to candidates. They know better now, since they are given to understand from Washington that a man can't have individualism and an office at one and the same time.

THE COMMISSIONERS

County Board in Regular Monthly Session May Yesterday

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ONLY ROUTINE BUSINESS

Usual Monthly Report Read From Officers—Application to Retail Liquor on Carolina Beach—Not Ready for Federal Point.

The regular monthly meeting of the Board of County Commissioners was held yesterday afternoon, the session being largely engaged with routine matters. In the absence of the chairman, who is in Fayetteville on business, Commissioner Robertson presided and Messrs. Divine and Vollers were present.

Mrs. S. E. Crandell was authorized to see her son in the convict camp in the discretion of the chairman. Application of Mrs. J. W. Crandell for increased allowance on outdoor poor list was referred to the Superintendent of Health for investigation and report to the board.

William Garrell, Masonboro township, was allowed $2 per month on the outdoor poor list. Register of Deeds John Haar presented his bond with surely company in lieu of personal bond and the same was accepted and approved. The county attorney reported net back tax collections to the amount of $165.45.

The usual monthly reports were read and approved. The Superintendent of the County Home reported five white and ten colored inmates and Superintendent of Health reported four cases of typhoid fever during the month and the various institutions in their usual good condition. The Register of Deeds reported 25 marriage licenses during the month and exhibited treasurer's receipt for revenue arising from same.

Application of Hans A. Kure to retail liquor at Carolina Beach was referred to the chairman with power to act.

Superintendent H. Hocutt, of the county roads, reported the grading on Market street to the National cemetery completed, the macadam of same being now in progress. The shell road has been repaired from Seventeenth and Market streets to Wrightsville. Ditching and draining is now in progress on Gordon road.

Application of R. R. Bellamy for return of tax in excess was referred to the chairman for investigation and report.

Bid of John S. McEachern Sons for feed for month was accepted at $25.80 for hay; 57 cents for corn and 57 1-2 cents for oats.

Several advocates of the two proposed routes for the Federal Point road were present at the meeting but were informed that the matter would not be taken up again for the present.

GENTLEMEN OF THE JURY.

Those Drawn for Two Weeks' Term Beginning May 27th.

The following jurors were yesterday afternoon drawn by the County Commissioners for the two weeks' civil term of Superior Court to convene on Monday, May 27th:

First Week—J. F. Mann, Geo. W. Trask, W. G. Elliott, Jr., L. W. Moore, W. J. Bergen, I. J. King, Jno. W. Atkins, F. W. Dick, Wm. H. Brown, J. D. Woody, A. L. Rice, Jno. M. Bass, A. F. Anderson, Jesse E. Smith, J. L. Hazelhurst, H. B. Bailey, Harry L. Kidd, Jno. N. Bennett.

Second Week—Jurgen Haar, E. S. Knight, M. S. Willard, R. B. Farr, Benj. Bell, R. H. Bowden, Victor Zoeller, J. O. Powers, D. D. Cameron, W. G. Pulliam, H. R. Kuhl, Jr., Evan S. Hancock, Richard H. Shaw, H. E. Bonitz, W. T. Smith, George Harriss, J. T. Dooley, S. E. Rogers.

Handsome Golf Cups.

Mr. Douglass Nash, of New York, who was recently in the city the guest of relatives and who was extended the courtesies of the Cape Far Golf Club, has just forwarded to the club four very handsome cut glass loving cups to be used as trophies in golf and tennis matches by the members. The cups are from Tiffany and have the name of the club and the words "Season of 1907" blown into the glass. One of the cups will be offered to the winner of a gentlemen's 18-hole handicap match on Friday afternoon, and the other will be offered to the winner in a 9-hole handicap match for ladies on Saturday afternoon following. The dates have not yet been set for the tennis matches.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

C. W. Polvogt Co.—Bargain Week.

People's Savings Bank—Bag of Gold.

Academy of Music — Peruchi-Gypzene Co.

Business Locals.

Wanted—Rooms for Light Housekeeping.

M. C. Darby & Co.—Bach Cottage for Rent.

Southeastern Lumber Co.—Bookkeeper Wanted.

New wash belts 10c; new long gloves, 75c, at Geo. O. Gaylord's Manufacturers' Sale. **

YOUNG MURDERER TAKEN

Boy Who Stabbed Another To Death Saturday Night Arrested Yesterday Morning By Police Sergeant Burnett—Character.

Robert Miller, the colored youth who Saturday night fatally stabbed George Brown, another colored youth at Sixth and Nixon streets, was arrested before day yesterday morning at Almont guano factory, on North east river, about two miles from the city. The boy was apprehended by Sergean Burnett, who went over after the prisoner, reaching the station house with him between 1 and 2 o'clock yesterday morning. He has been committed by the coroner without bail pending trial at the next term of the Superior Court. Miller, alias Walker, claims that he acted in self-defense in slaying Brown and exhibited to the coroner a knife wound in his leg which he said was inflicted by his adversary. This is a very superficial cut and the coroner is of the opinion that the boy inflicted the wound on himself to sustain the plea of self-defense.

An inquest was held over the body of Brown Sunday morning and a verdict was rendered that the deceased came to his death as a result of being stabbed by Robert Miller ,alias Walker The Star has recived a card from J. Henry Walker, a son of the late Andrew Walker, stating that the boy is not an adopted son of his father. He was at one time employed by Andrew Walker, the son says, as a milk delivery boy, but on account of his bad traits of character, he was discharged.

Sergeant Burnett received information Sunday night that the boy was hiding in the vicinity of Almont, and reaching the factory, accompaned by Officer Jesse Brown, he found that the boy had escaped from the vigilance of his informant that the boy was there. The officers, however, began a search in the locality and spotted the boy in an outhouse, promptly placing him under arrest. The officers had a long walk, but felt amply repaid for their trip in the capture of the youngster.

FIRE SUNDAY MORNING

Eleven Houses a Total Loss, Three Badly Damaged—Believed to Be Work of An Incendiary—Loss About $6,000.

Ten frame dwellings and a colored church totally destroyed with several other dwellings badly damaged was the final result of the fire early Sunday morning in the block bounded by Front, Second, Dawson and Wrght streets. The loss, it is estimated, will exceed $6,000, with only partial Insurance. The fire started in the residence of the widow of the late David Jacobs, colored, on Second street, near Mount Olive M. E. Church, colored, and is believed to have been of incendiary origin. Chief Schnibben, of the Fire Department, and Constable Savage are now investigating a clue that may lead to the arrest of a colored woman, who had made threats against the widow of Jacobs in whose house the fire started. These threats were of a very violent nature, and were made the day before the fire.

From the Jacobs dwelling the fire communicated to the parsonage of the colored church adjoining, and then to the church itself, which was in flames when the firemen arrived from the long run across town only to find that the water pressure was next to nothing. This situation was accentuated by the fact that all the hose in use by the Weed Distilling Company across Front street, and at Kidder's Mill, further down by the river, were in use from the mains in order to prevent the destruction of those plants by showers of sparks which fell among highly combustible material.

Fortunately the block is little less than a deep ravine, and after sweeping all the houses fronting on Second street, with a single exception, the firemen were able to protect the row of dwellings on Dawson, Wright and Front streets.

The losses on Mt. Olive Church, $3,500, was covered by insurance with Boatwright & Son, with parsonage, occupied by Rev. J. W. Murph. Two houses belonging to Mr. J. E. Hall, in the middle of the block were insured for $150 each; two houses owned by Chas. McAllister and occupied by Ed. McLauchin and Thomas Allen, were destroyed at 916 and 918 South Second. Two other houses in the rear of those owned by Chas McAllister and Chas. Walker were also destroyed. Many of the occupants removed a part of their furniture not only from the houses that were burned, but from others in the vicinity, Mr. Varney Gilbert at Second and Wright suffering a loss in this respect.

UNITED STATES COURT.

Spring Term Convened Yesterday, But No Cases Tried.

The Spring term of the United States Circuit and District Courts for the Eastern District of North Carolina convened yesterday morning, but pending the arrival of Judge Purnell, who did not reach the city until last evening, a recess was taken. The court will get down to business this morning at the usual hour, and after the preliminaries, the trial of cases will be taken up. A large number of witnesses, defendants and jurors are here for the sessions with a number of visiting attorneys. It is expected that no important cases will be reached today.

ELECTIONS TO-DAY

Voters of Both City and County Will Vote at The Polls.

SEVERAL PROPOSITIONS

Aldermen to Be Elected and Recorders Court Proposition—To Vote on Bonds For Streets, Water and Sewerage.

Election both for the city and county will be held in the various wards, precincts and townships of New Hanover today. The polls for the city election will open at 8 o'clock and close at 7 o'clock this evening and the polls for the county election will open at sunrise, 5:17 o'clock and close at sunset, 7 o'clock this evening.

It would be well for voters to bear in mind that the two elections are entirely separate and distinct propositions with a different set of pollholders and election officers for each and that while in some of the wards in the city the polling place for both elections are the same, in the First and Fifth wards they are different. In the First ward there are three precincts and in the Fifth ward two precincts, the residence of the voter determining in which precinct he shall vote.

In the city election there are three separate and distinct ballots to be cast: One for members of the Board of Aldermen as nominated in the late primary; one upon the question of the issuance of $400,000 in bonds for permanent streets improvement; one for the issuance of $500,000 in bonds for the municipal ownership of a water works and sewerage system. The vote for aldermen will be a mere formal ratification of the action of the people at the primary, but in the case of the bond issues, it will require a majority of the registered vote to carry either or both of the propositions. A voter may cast his ballot for streets and not for water and sewerage or vice versa, as he may choose, or he may vote for both propositions. Failure to vote, by a person registered means a vote against both propositions.

The county election is upon the question of the establishment of a Recorder's Court in the county as unanimously recommended by the Board of County Commissioners and by the Board of Aldermen. A voter will first cast his vote either for or against the establishment of the court and will then vote for a judge of the court and for a clerk of the same, if he desires so to vote. In this election as to the establishment of the court the failure of a voter to exercise his suffrage on the question means a vote against the court, as a majority of the registered vote is required to carry the proposition. For this election there are three precincts in the First ward and two in the Fifth. In other words, the voter will vote at the same place as he registered.

The returns for the city election will be made to the City Hall and the returns from the county election to the Court House.

According to law the saloons of the city closed at 5:17 yesterday afternoon, 12 hours before the opening of the polls, and will not be opened again until 7 o'clock tomorrow morning, 12 hours after the polls close.

There is great interest in both of the elections and it is expected that a full vote will be cast. It seems certain that the bond issues will carry and it is reasonably certain that the proposition to establish a Recorder's Court will be carried, though this is not sufficiently certain for friends of the measure to fail to cast their ballot at the polls today.

WATER SUPPLY CUT OFF.

Joint in Main at Hilton Blew Out Early Sunday Morning.

For the greater part of Sunday the city was cut off from its water supply. The cause was the blowing out of a joint in an elbow of the main near the Hilton pumping station and this necessitated not only cutting off the pumps until the damage could be repaired but the standpipe had to be run dry. Where the water escaped a great ravine was cut to the river, but no other damage than the washing up of a fine oak tree on the property was occasioned. Supt. Robertson, Engineer Sweeney, Foreman Mote and the entire working force went to work immediately on the trouble and by 4 o'clock in the afternoon the pressure was restored in the city. In the meantime Chief Schnibben kindly loaned the fire boat Atlantic to the company to keep the pressure as far up as possible. This was accomplished by pumping water directly out of the river into the fire hydrant at foot of Market street .

Rev. C. W. Kegley Returned.

Rev. C. W. Kegley and Mr. C. W. Polvogt have returned from the Lutheran Synod near Salisbury and report a pleasant and profitable session of that body. The meeting was one of the best held in the State in a number of years, and the denomination in North Carolina was shown by the reports to be growing. Much work for the new year was mapped out.

Visit Geo. O. Gaylord's Department Store this week for values in Summer goods. **

THE FLAGS PRESENTED

Interesting Exercises Last Night at Court House By North Carolina Peace Society—Presentation of Beautiful State Emblems.

Interesting ceremonies last evening in the Court House marked the formal presentation to the North Carolina Society of two very handsome silk Peace flags, one to be retained by the society for its own use and the other to be presented through the society to the State. The flag for the State was given by Prof. F. S. Blair, of Guilford College, and that for retention by the society was given by a member of the organization whose name is not given. The exercises followed the organization of the North Carolina Peace Society at The Orton Saturday afternoon and there were between 100 and 150 representative people of the city in attendance. Rev. R. W. Hogue, rector of St. James' parish, presided and an invocation was offered by Rev. Thos. P. Noe, rector of the parish of the Good Shepherd.

The formal presentation of the flags to and through the society were by Prof. Blair, who made an appropriate address. The acceptance of the flags was by Rev. R. W. Hogue, who was likewise very happy in his remarks. Following these addresses impromptu remarks were made by Mr. B. G. Worth, Rev. A. J. Parker, Adjutant Yates, of the Salvation Army; Capt. Wm. F. Robertson, Mr. Thos. H. Wright, Louis Goodman, Esq., and others.

Arrangements have been made for the formal presentation of the flag for the State through Governor Glenn on next Monday evening. A committee from the society will go to Raleigh for this purpose, including several from Wilmington. Mr. Wright and Capt. Robertson were named a committee to place the society's flag on display at some prominent place in the city. This will most probably be in Polvogt's window.

MR. DAHMER RETURNED

Suffering From Temporary Mental Aberration Young Man Who Mysteriously Disappeared Came Back Last Night.

Young Mr. J. F. Dahmer, former proprietor of the moving picture theatre on Market street, who mysteriously disappeared in this city last Thursday midnight, just as mysteriously returned to his boarding house, the residence of Mrs. Jones, on Market street, last night about 8 o'clock. The young man is suffering what his friends hope will prove to be only a temporary aberration and he can give no intelligent account of his absence. Soon after he came in last night, the young man's mother, who arrived Saturday from her home in Charlotte, and his stepfather, who arrived Sunday, were notified of the return, and a physician was immediately summoned. Hypodermics were administered and the young man was resting very well at last accounts.

It was believed that young Mr. Dahmer, in a fit of despondency and depression had committed some rash act, as was intimated in a letter to his mother, but it is gratifying to his friends, while deplorable as his case is, that such was not the case and that he will probably be all right in a few days. Mrs. Dahmer, the mother, and her husband have been guests at the home of their brother, Mr. Louis Sallings, of this city, since the young man disappeared, and they were summoned to Wilmington to see what could be done. Mr. Dahmer is unable to tell where he has been or anything about himself. He had on two pair of pants when he came back, but was otherwise dressed much in the same way as he was when he disappeared.

FOR MEMORIAL DAY.

Daughters of Confederacy Proceeding With Their Arrangements.

The Daughters of the Confederacy are proceeding with all possible dispatch in their arrangements for Memorial Day on Friday of this week, May 10th. The programme has been published. The ladies are requested to meet at the lodge in Oakdale Cemetery Thursday at 10 A. M., to assist with the making of laurel wreathes to be laid on the graves of Confederates.

The following are requested to be present at the Memorial Day exercises to rceive thir crosses of honor: G. W. Williams, Company F, Third Regiment, Brunswick County; F. R. Ward, Company B, 36th Regiment, Brunswick County; A. C. Rackley, Company K, 18th Regiment, Brunswick County; Privates W. L. Pridgen, J. T. Walker, Louis Taylor, W. A. Baggett and J. S. A. Reaves, of Wilmington. Duplicate crosses will be presented to the following: Ensign T. Jeff Smith, Capt. Frederick W. Ortman, Lieut. A. D. Brown and Capt W. M. Stevenson.

The Golf Match.

The men's handicap golf match Saturday afternoon was won by Mr. A. H. Fenn, the expert from Poland Springs, Me. Mr. Fenn broke the record of the course, making the first round of nine holes with 35 and the second with 40. The record of the course was previously held by Mr. Donald Ross, the professional of Pine Hurst, N. C.

FAREWELL MEETING

Board of Aldermen of Present Administration Held Final Session Last Night.

MUCH ROUTINE BUSINESS

Departments Made Fine Showing for Fiscal Year About to End—Final Adjournment Formally in Honor of E. F. Johnson.

Members of the Board of Aldermen last night said "farewell' to one another. It was the last meeting for the present administration and the session was largely devoted to winding up odds and ends and making annual reports. The closing minutes of the session were touching and valedictories came from those who are retiring, Messrs. Moore, W. H. Yopp, W. E. Yopp, R. W. Price and J. O. Brown, while members who hold over expressed their great regret at parting with their associates and with Mayor Waddell, who was not a candidate for re-election.

The Board met at 8:10 o'clock; present, Mayor Waddell, presiding; Messrs. Rathjen, Karr, O'Brien, W. H. Yopp, W. E. Yopp, King, Price, Brown.

The minutes of preceding meeting were read and approved and the regular call of committes was proceded with. Chairman Yopp had nothing on finance. Chairman OBrien made exhaustive report for the Streets and Wharves Committee. Permission asked for certain grading by the A. C. L. had been granted and the work had been inspected The macadam blocks on Grace street and on Ann street have been completed and work is now progressing in the vicinity of Seventh and Grace streets.

Mr. Brown asked for an appropriation of $2,500 for macadamizing the south side of Orange, between Sixth and Ninth streets. Mr. Brown explained that great improvement had been made on St. James' Square and that he would go before the Board of Audit and Finance and urge the appropriation out of moneys not now appropriated. Mr. Price made an amendment to the effect that the east side of Fifth between Dock and Nun streets be macadamized and that an appropriation of $2,500 be made for this purpose out of all unexpended balances at the end of the fiscal year, proper retaining wall to be built. Mr. O'Brien thought it would be best not to saddle this on the new administation; that it would, perhaps, be best to wait for the bond issue.

After some discussion, Mr. Brown temporarily withdrew his motion, and Mr. Price's amendment was carried. Mr. Brown then renewed his motion and this was also carried.

Chairman O'Brien also read a report of the work accomplished during the year. All told 49 1-2 blocks of streets and roadways have been built, besides a large amount of repair work; 40,000 square yards of granolithic and brick sidewalks have been put down and 45,000 feet of granite curbing have been laid. Seven thousand feet of terra-cotta pipe have been put down. The chairman states without fear of contradiction that the present administration has made more improvements to the streets of the city, more rock hauled from the quarry and placed on the streets and more work accomplished than by any previous administration. The street force is declared efficient and better organized than ever before.

Chairman Rathjen reported both for the month and for the year. A donation for the crew of the fire boat Atlantic is being built at Chestnut street dock. The fire boat did signal service for the water company when its main was broken on Sunday.

During the past two years many improvements have been made for which the Fire Committee and the Chief of the Department return their thanks to the Board of Aldermen and the Board of Audit and Finance. One new hook and ladder truck has been bought, one new fire boat has been built; and the Atlantic engine installed therein; 2,000 feet of new fire hose has been received; five new alarm boxes have been put in and several mils of wire have been strung; two fire engines have been overhauled and repainted; First ward and Fifth ward engine houses have been connected with sewerage; a slip has been made for the fire boat; a new two-story building as a fire station has been erected; 34 new bed springs have been bought for the quarters of the firemen; salary of firemen has been increased $5 per month and many other improvements have been made. Chairman Rathjen closed his report with a characteristic speech appropriate to the last meeting of the Board.

Upon recommendation of Chairman Karr $80 was appropriated for the purchase of a typewriter for the Police Department. Upon recommendation of Chairman King, an unexpended balance to the credit of the Market Committee was appropriated for placing a sidewalk around Fifth Ward market house. Chairman Brown, of the Light Committee, reported the installation of two new lights and same was approved.

Mr. Junius Davis, counsel for the Cape Fear Club, appeared before the Board and asked that in consideration of its public service in the community, that the organization be exempted from the tax of $50 per month on social clubs. Mr. Davis said that the act of the Legislature did not make it

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SO SAY WE ALL OF US.

The Norfolk Landmark, of Sunday, after giving a brief review of the battle between the Federal and Confederate forces at Salem Church, near Fredericksburg, Va., during the Civil War, says:

"This week the Twenty-third New Jersey regiment, which held the most exposed portion on the line at Salem church, and charged and re-charged upon the ranks of Wilcox with obstinate valor, met upon the battlefield to dedicate a monument to their gallant comrades who fell thereon. That they should have followed, is not out of the by the surviving Confederates of the vicinity, and that cordial intercourse should have followed, is not out of the usual course. But when the monument was unveiled, and Blue and Gray gathered about the shaft to inspect the fair proportions and read the touching memorials graven on its faces, lo! one fair tablet bore no tribute to their own heroic dead, but was thus inscribed:

"'To the brave Alabama boys, our opponents on this fied of honorable battle, whose memory we honor, this tablet is dedicated.'

"Nothing could be finer, nothing more chivalric, nothing could testify more eloquently to the nobility of soul of these New Jersey soldiers."

This action of the Twenty-Third New Jersey was nothing short of glorious. It makes a man's heart swell with pride that he belongs to a country which can produce men like those Federals and Confederates who fought like the heroes that they were and have buried the past like the heroes that they will continue to be in the eyes of all the world now and forever. We are bound to have a lofty sense of the grandeur of the character, gallantry and heroism of the men of the North and the men of the South who from 1861 to 1865 wrote the biggest page in history. All honor to them.

TAFT TALK.

Mr. Charles J. Harris, of Dillsboro, who was the Republican nominee for Governor in the race against Governor Glenn, returned last week from a trip to Ohio and Washington. Mr. Harris passed through Asheville on his return home and a correspondent at Asheville in a dispatch under date of Saturday last notes that his return was "after a season of close communion with Secretary of War Taft and he has sized up the situation in the Republican campaign to the tune of Taft's nomination for the Presidency."

The newspaper man saw Mr. Harris at the Battery Park Hotel and reports him as saying:

"There can be no mistaking the enthusiasm which obtains for Secretary Taft throughout his home State and I have no doubt that he will secure a majority of the delegates that attend the next national convention. While many of the Southern delegates have expressed themselves as favoring Mr. Roosevelt for a third term, I am convinced that a great majority of those delegates will be for Mr. Taft when they are made fully to understand that the President will not be a candidate."

Mr. Harris probably went to Washington on a political errand and if so was probably summoned there by President Roosevelt or his lieutenants to discuss the Republican situation in North Carolina as it refers to the Taft candidacy. Big influences are behind the Taft movement and if the big Secretary of War does not get the nomination when the National Republican convention gathers next year he will most.

OUR INSURANCE COMPANIES GROWING.

The large and growing business of the North State Mutual Life Insurance Company, of Kinston, and of the Southern Life Insurance Company, of Fayetteville, indicates what can be done in the South in that branch of business. The Southern has found the harvest so ripe that it is necessary to enlarge the capital stock. A meeting of the stockholders will be held at Fayetteville next Thursday to consider the necessity of increasing the Southern's capital stock from $150,000 to $300,000. This doubling of the capital stock will give the company $400,000 assets, be sides a surplus of $60,000. There is very little doubt that the stockholders will take favorable action. If the present stockholders do not gobble up all the new stock, the company should not find much difficulty in selling stock to outsders on the splendid showing made by the company during its brief existence.

What we say about the splendid companies at Kinston and Fayetteville can be said of several other companies in the State.

INLAND WATERWAY SURVEY.

Yesterday no doubt marked the beginning of a great enterprise that will be of untold value to eastern North Carolina directly and to all of North Carolna incidentally. We allude to the beginning of the government survey for the Inland Waterway from Beaufort inlet, North Carolina, to Norfolk, Va. Mr. Frank B. Perry, of the Engineer Corps, arrived at Beaufort the latter part of last week, with launches, quarter boat, survey boats and a corps of assistants, and the intention was to begin the work today of making the permanent survey of the North Carolina section of the inside route for which the last Congress appropriated $550,000. In our opinion this inaugurates work on one of the government's greatest enterprises, although it will not compare in expense to a great number of others with less prospect of being of such tremendous value to the commercial interests of the country. We are counting on the Inland Waterway.

CURRENT COMMENT.

—The Austrian Oil trust has collapsed. It is nonsense for the effete empires of Europe to attempt to copy after us.—Chicago Inter-Ocean.

—Mr. Taft is going about it as though information that he is a candidate was imparted to him by the President in the strictest confidence.—Washington Post.

—Aerial navigation has its serious uses. The balloon that went up from St. Louis demonstrated that the law of gravitation had not been repealed.—Philadelphia Ledger.

—That Michigan man who is accused of having 17 wives must have been determined to have his buttons sewed on if he went to jail for it.—Washington Post.

—Now for a scramble between the "conservative and radical" factions of the Democratic party for their choice to succeed Senator Simmons for the State chairmanship.—Winston Republican.

—The Memphis Commercial-Appeal seems to be referring to it as a "Jesse Jamestown Exposition." Well, even if accurate, that would be a whole lot bitter than a Henry Jamestown affair.—Richmond Times.

—Whether or not Governor Hughes is of Presidential timber, there is reason to believe that he has made enough political enemies easily to secure for him the nomination for Vice-President.—Providence Tribune.

—Last week at the Collectors' Club in New York a stamp sold for $372.50. Yet if you tried to send a letter with it, the missive would probably be returned marked "insufficient postage."—Boston Commercial Bulletine.

—We would like for the Democrats to put up a conservative man, but we are not among those who believe that a conservative Democrat could win. It is our belief that the more radical the candidate the more votes he will receive.—Durham Herald.

—There will be genuine regret at the destruction by fire of the Hotel Carr-olina at Durham. It was built by Gen. Julian S. Carr, and when it was finished it was the finest hotel in the State outside of Asheville. Its burning entails a heavy loss on General Carr, whose first impulse was to telegraph the fire companies thanks for their heroic work in saving the town. That was characteristic. The hotel will doubtless be rebuilt and made better than ever, with all the modern improvements. You cannot down Durham and General Carr's spirit of progress cannot be suppressed even by the elements.—Ralegh News and Observer.

TWINKLINGS.

—Very Successful: "Was the flying machine a success?" "Oh, yes; it failed to work before it got far enough to hurt."—London Tatler.

—"Am I the first girl you ever loved?" "Of course, dear. But it is strange how every girl has asked me that same question."—Illustrated Bits.

—Molly—How are you going to reform him? Dolly—Marry him. Molly—Goodness! Does he need such heroic treatment as that?—Ally Sloper's Half Holiday.

—Tramp—Please, mum, me an' my mate are shipwecked sailors——. Lady—Fiddlesticks! Neither of you was ever near the sea. Tramp—Quite right, lady. We was on an airship.—Punch.

—"Does your wife believe everything you tell her? "Most of the time." "Why not all the time?" "Because some of the time she knows different."—Milwaukee Sentinel.

—The Stranger—Hi, mister! Look sharp—your lion's been and broke loose! The Lion Tamer—Oh, dear! He'll get himself run over—I'm sure he will! Run and drive him back, there's a good chap.—Pick Me Up.

—Alice—How did you come to meet our second husband, Grace? Grace—It was merely accidental. He ran over my first one with an automobile, and afterward attended the funeral.—Smart Set.

—Courageous Pedestrian—"Officer, I protest against that mans arrest. What was his offense?' The Cop—"Aw, he was drivin' his auto at only 20 miles an hour, an' delaying the machines behind him."—Puck.

J. H. Rehder & Co.'s Big Spring Sale attracted a very large crowd yesterday morning. Long before 10 oclock there was quite a crowd on the sidewalk waiting for the opening, and eager to secure the bargains being oered. The sale will continue all the week. Among the bargains will be 10 yards bleaching for 45c; 10 yards bleached homespun for 45c; 10 yards 36-inch white lawn for 75c. Good bleaching 10 yards for 75c; 25c French lawn, 18 1-2c; 45x36 pillow cases at 10c each. Better be on hand early, as some of the best bargains may be sold out before the closing day. **

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For Clerk Recorder's Court.

Subject to the will of the people to be expressed at the polls May 7th.

WM. SLOAN HUGGINS.

Notice to Creditors.

Pursuant to an order of the Court, all creditors of Neutralgine Chemical Company are required and hereby notified to present their claims duly proven, as required by law, to the undersigned receiver of said Neutralgine Chemical Company on or before the 1st day of June, A. D. 1907, or this notice will be plead if necessary in bar of recovery.

This 20th day of April, A. D. 1907.
WOODUS KELLUM,
Receiver of Neutralgine Chemical Company.
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State of North Carolina, County of New Hanover. Superior Court.

By virtue of a decree of the Superior Court rendered at April Term, 1907, in the case of the Brunswick Grocery Company et al. against J. A. Taylor, the undersigned Receiver, appointed by said decree, hereby gives notice to all creditors of W. C. Thomas & Company, of Cronly, N. C., having claims against the said business conducted at Cronly, N. C., alone, to present the said claims to him, or to John D. Bellamy & Son, attorneys, properly verified on or before the 25th day of May, 1907, or this notice will be plead in bar of the creditors of W. C. Thomas & Company, of Cronly, N. C., participating in any of the assets of the said firm.

This the 23rd day of April, 1907.
J. A. TAYLOR,
apr 23-30days Receiver.

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RECORDER'S COURT AGAIN DISCUSSED

Opponent of New Court Has Last Say—Thinks There Has Been Too Much Guess Work and Not Enough Facts.

Wilmington, N. C., May 6, 1907.
Editor Star:

The County Commissioners are possessed with the records of every case that has been tried in any of our Superior Courts and are able to furnish the records of cost of all those cases, and could, therefore, have made up a statement showing the total cost of all cases that have been tried by the Superior Courts which would, or could have been tried by a Recorder, had the Recorders bill been in operation. Such a statement of unquestioned facts would have been appreciated by the majority of the voters of the county, and it was a surprise to me that the Commissioners failed to enlighten the public, and in lieu thereof contend themselves with the Chairman's two-coloumn article of Thursday morning.

Mr. McEachern's article tells us all about the costs of all the courts and the jail fees, and about the number of cases that could have been tried by a Recorder, and then goes out and copies the figures and argument from the unknown author "Tax Payer," and tries to show that because 451 out of 708 cases in the Superior Court could have been tried by a Recorder, that he is justified in the claim that the taxpayers would have saved 63 per cent or a saving in figures of $5,783.82, or a net saving of $1,890.33.

Now I have just as much rght to guess as Mr. McEachern, and I will predict that 20 per cent. will pay the cost in the Superior Court of all cases that could be tried by a Recorder, and I believe that I will be nearer correct than he is.

Any person that has ever been around, or had anything to do with the criminal part of our court knows that the petty cases that are usually submitted, and which would go to a Recorder, does not consume one-tenth of the court's time that the larger cases consume, then why average them in the way you do? Why not turn on the light by publishing absolute facts? If I held the position you hold the facts would be shown, and no estimates or guessing.

WM. E. WORTH.

You're to be the judge; we leave it to you to decide; all we want is your verdict—Will Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea make you well and keep you well? That's fair. Tea or Tablets, 35 cents. J. Hicks Bunting Drug Company.

Buy your tan linon today from Geo. O. Gaylord. 25c kind one day 19c yard. **

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THE STRANGLING FIG.

A Curious Tropical Tree That Lives Upon Other Trees.

Visitors to Mexico and other tropical countries often have their attention called to "the strangling fig"—a tree that commences its growth as an epiphyte—that is, one form of plant life that grows perched on another—far up on the trunk or among the branches of another tree, usually on a palmetto or some of the kinds of palms. The roots of the strangling tree extend downward around the host tree to the ground, gradually joining together, making a tubelike mass of roots sometimes as much as six feet or more in diameter.

When the attacked tree is a palm death to it is caused not so much by the binding around the trunk as by shading out its branches by the attacking tree.

When the attacked tree is an exogen—that is, one with wood and bark—the attacking roots bind so tightly as to cause a stoppage of the flow of the sap. As the sap of a tree is really its food (changed by the leaves so that it can be used) and the flow of the food is thus stopped, the attacked tree is really "starved" to death. So death to the attacked tree is caused either by smothering or by starvation or by both.

The peculiar manner in which the flattened roots extend down and around the tree give them the appearance of some thick, slow flowing material running down the tree.—St. Nicholas.

GRIM OLD CROMWELL.

The Protector Made Christmas a Gloomy and Serious Day.

"Christmas was illegal in Cromwell's time," said an antiquary. "Those grim old Puritans were so gloomy that they would not have any gayety even on Christmas day.

"Cromwell said that holly and mistletoe were heathenish things. He said that they had no real Christian significance; they were a part of some pagan festival of the Druids. Accordingly he made a law that if you decorated your house with mistletoe at Christmas you got thirty days in jail.

"The terrible old fellow forbade Christmas celebrations—no dancing, no singing, no playgoing, no feasting on Christmas day; penalty, thirty days.

"You see, it was his idea that Christmas was a religious, a serious time, a time for churchgoing and prayer and reverence and for nothing else. The innocent family that in Cromwell's day sat down to turkey and plum pudding and wound up with Christmas games got a month all round.

"Only for a time, though. The people rebelled. Willing as the people had been to put on the gloom of those dreadful old Puritans, they insisted on having a little joy on Christmas day, and Cromwell after a year or two had to give in to them."—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

To Rehders this week for bargains. 10 yards unbleached homespun for 45c; $1.50 white lawn shirtwaists, 98c; 15c white madras, 9 1-2c; $3.50 white silk shirtwaists, $2.98. **

Dress tan linon today at Gaylord's 18c kind, 12 1-2c yard. Manufacturer's Sale. **

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CLERK RECORDER'S COURT.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Clerk of the Recorder's Court to be voted upon by the people of the county on May 7th, promising if elected to fill the duties of the position faithfully and well.

LAWRENCE J. G. MOREL.
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The Morning Star.

Tuesday, May 7, 1907.

WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. Department of Agriculture

Weather Bureau.

Wilmington, May 7, 1907.

Meterological data for the 24 hours ending at 8 P. M. Monday, May 6:

Temperature at 8 A. M., 69 degrees; at P. M., 73 degrees; maximum, 81 degrees; minimum, 62 degrees; mean, 72 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .40; rainfall for the month, .55 inch.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river at Fayetteville at 8 A. M., Friday, 9.6 feet.

Forecast

For North Carolina—Showers Tuesday and probably Wednesday, fresh south winds.

Port Alamnac—May 7.

Sun Sises.....5:02 A. M.
Sun Sets.....6:51 P. M.
Day's Length.....13 hrs., 46 min.
High water at Southport 4:55 P. M.
High water at Wilmington 7:25 P. M.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—C. M. Bernard, Esq., of Raleigh, is in the city to attend Federal Court.

—United States Marshal Claudius Dockery arrived yesterday and is a guest at The Orton.

—Messrs. W. S. Coburn and W. H. Cox, of Laurinburg, N. C., are guests at The Orton.

—H. A. Gilliam, Esq., of Tarboro, is in the city on a brief visit of a social and professional nature.

—Mr. D. B. Johnson, of Tomahawk, N. C., was in the city yesterday, returning to his home from a visit to Whiteville.

—Miss Lessie M. Stewart, of Sanford, N. C., is a guest at The Orton and is being pleasantly received by a number of friends in this city.

—Jackson Greer and C. D. Koonce, Esqs., of Whiteville, are among the visiting attorneys in the city on professional business.

—Mr. H. D. Wood, of Newbern, is in the city on a visit to his sister, Mrs. W. W. Koch, 219 South Front street.

—Mrs. R. S. Collins arrived yesterday from Catherine Lake on a visit to Mr. James W. Collins, No. 515 Market street.

—Mr. Harry S. Styron, a brght Wilmington boy who has been at work on the Charleston and Charlotte papers, is at home to spend a few days with his mother. He thinks of going from Wilmington to New York.

—Hon. G. B. Patterson, of Maxton, is in the city on professional business. He called on the Star yesterday and the horse editor was glad to behold his colossal proportions. "Gib" now tips the scales at 215 poupnds.

—Mrs. Jas. H. Taylor, Jr., and little daughter, Carrie McLean, leave this morning for an extended trip to Charlotte and other points. Mr. Taylor will join them for a brief visit next week.

—The many friends of Mr. Seymour Merrell were delighted to see him here yesterday. He returned on the Clyde steamer yesterday morning from a visit of sveral months to his mother in Pittsfield, Mass., and is the picture of health.

"BROTHER AGAINST BROTHER."

Peruchi-Gypzene Company Resumes Engagement This Evening.

Once again will the Peruchi-Gypzene Company be at the Academy tonight, resuming its stock engagement. The bill for tonight will be "Brother Against Brother" and it is a strong modern drama. Mr. Chelso D. Peruchi will be seen in a splendid comedy role and the specialties will all be new. This play will run tonight and tomorrow night, a change being made Thursday evening.

Tonight every lady accompanied by the holder of a paid 30-cent ticket will be admitted free, provided such ticket is purchased at Plummer's before 6 o'clock this afternoon.

In the Police Court.

There were nine cases for trial in the Monday police court yesterday. J. A. Watkins, charged with opening bar on Sunday, was fined $10 and costs. The arrest was by Officer M. P. Newton. Will Hilton and Mary Evans, both colored and arrested by Officer C. G. Jones, were each fined $5 and costs. Several defendants for drunkenness were let off with costs. Alford Andrews, drunk and down at the Seamen's Home and arrested by Supt. Christoffersen, was let off upon condition that he leave the city. Boyd Willson, colored, for an aggravated assault on a woman who remonstrated with him for maltreating his wife, was fined $20 and costs, in default of which he will go to the roads for 30 days.

First Church of Christ, Scientist.

With simple but very appropriate ceremony the corner-stone for a temporary structure which the First Church of Christ, Scientist, of this city, will use until work can be commenced on the permanent building, was laid yesterday morning at Seventeenth and Market streets. The permanent structure will require about two years in its construction, and for that reason the congregation decided to build the temporary house of worship while the other is being built. For the temporary structure, Messrs. Leiter & Wilkins are the architects, and the contract has been awarded to Mr. Frank Porter.

The polls for the city (or bond) election will open at 8 A. M. and close at sunset. For the Recorder's Court the polls will open at sunrise and close at sunset.

Buy your colored Lawns today, the 15c kind, 10c yard; 1$c kind, 8c. Geo. O. Gaylord's. **

LOCAL DOTS.

—The Home Science Department of Sorosis will meet this afternoon at 5 o'clock. Members are asked to note the change from 4 to 5 o'clock.

—The United States survey steamer Hydraulic was in port yesterday, bound from Norfolk south. The steamer received coal at the yards of the Springer Coal Company.

—Mr. H. Lacy Hunt, who has resigned his position with the Murchison National Bank, goes with Messrs. McNair & Pearsall instead of Messrs. Hall & Pearsall, Incorporated, as was inadvertently stated in the Star Sunday morning.

—Rev. A. J. Parker, pastor of the Bladen Street M. E. Church, leaves this morning to be with Rev. J. E. Underwood in a ten days' revival service in the Rockingham, N. C., Methodist Church. Rev. Mr. Parker goes to lead the singing for the revival. The preaching will be by Rev. C. F. Siler, of Statesville.

—J. E. Tyner, a well-known white man, was arrested yesterday and locked up at the police station on a charge of selling liquor Sunday and selling without license. Levi Huggins, the State's witness failed to show up in the police court yesterday and the case against Tyner was continued.

—Several slight changes in the schedule of the A. C. L. went into effect yesterday. The train arrives from the North now at 10 A. M. instead of 10:10 A. M. as heretofore and the train to Fayetteville leaves at 8:45 A. M. instead of 8:55 A. M. The train from Newbern will arrive at 1 P. M. instead of 12:40 P. M. as before.

DELIGHTFUL RECEPTION.

Domestic Science Class of Union School Entertained Yesterday.

The Domestc Science Class of the Union School yesterday delightfully entertained at an elegant three-course luncheon in their class room, which was attractively decorated with the class colors of yellow and black and with bamboo and wild flowers. Among the guests were Superintendent Blair, Mr. J. B. Huff, principal of the High School; Mr. Wingate Underhill, principal of Hemenway; Miss M. E. Cook, principal and teachers of the Union School; Mr. Jas. H. Chadbourn, of the school committee; Mr. Archie Worth, of New Jersey; Mrs. Walker Taylor, Mrs. Chadbourn, Mrs. Bates, Mrs. Hicks, Mrs. Howell and others. The luncheon was a great credit to the class and to the teacher, Miss Elsa B. Richardson, whom the class will regretfully give up after this season as she has taken a position for next term at Greensboro, N. C. At the conclusion of the entertainment yesterday Mr. Archie Worth made a brief talk and Mr. Chadbourn congratulated the class upon the evidences of efficient work done during the term about to end.

Members of the class who are from the eighth grade are as follows: Misses Carolina Ashe, Mary Alexander, Karmer Bailey, Marguerite Duls, Sara Maffitt, Theresa Parsley, Carrie Hashagen, Louise Sneed, Almeria Stevenson, Gladys Taylor, Charlotte O'Neill, Mary Brown, Edelweis King, Roxie Lewis, Blanche Penny and Hazel Penny.

MAY BE DROWNED MAN.

Body Seen Floating in Sound Near Hampstead, Pender County.

The body of a white man seen by some children floating in the channel of the sound off Hampstead, Pender county, Saturday afternoon, is believed to have been that of young Lloyd Andrews, who with Mr. Lindley, whose body was recovered a week ago in the same locality, was drowned about three weeks ago at Middle Sound while they were out marsh hen shooting. The children were out in the sound oystering and their attention was attracted by a shark striking at something on top of the water. Of course they were frightened but before making way from the place saw that it was the body of a man. On the day before Mr. Dan Sanders, while out in the marsh in the same locality, smelled an offensive odor but did not investigate. He got in his boat, according to report that reached the city yesterday, and made off. The fact has been reported to friends and relatives of Mr. Andrews in this city yesterday, and it is expected that steps will be made to find the body if it is not consumed by sharks in the meantime.

Mr. Newman Returns.

Mr. Martin Newman, of this city, who was called to New York about two weeks ago on account of the serious illness and subsequent death of his mother, returned to the city Sunday evening and is receiving the condolence of his many friends in Wilmington. Mrs. Newman had reached the advanced age of 85 years and while her death was not unexpected, it came as a sad blow to the family and friends. The funeral and interment was in New York. Mrs. Newman was the widow of the late D. Newman, of this city, and was well known by many Wilmington people. She left two children, Mr. Newman, of this city and Mrs. Mayer, of New York.

SPECIAL LOW RATES TO RALEIGH, NORTH CAROLINA, AND RETURN.

Account unveiling Worth Bagley monument, Raleigh, N. C., May 20th, the Seaboard announces a low round trip rate of one first class fare, plus 25 cents, minimum rate 50 cents, from all points in North Carolina east and including Charlotte, including Norfolk-Portsmouth. Tickets to be sold May 19 and 20, excepting Norfolk-Portsmouth which will be sold May 19, final return limit May 21.

To take care of large movement expected, extra coaches will be provided on all trains that is necessary.

C. H. GATTIS,
T. P. A., Raleigh, N. C.

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FAREWELL MEETING

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mandatory upon the city to levy a tax, and it was doubtful ,anyhow, if the tax was legal. The service of the club in entertaining distinguished visitors and guests was especially emphasized. Mr. Brown moved that all social clubs be exempted from this tax; second by Mr. O'Brien. Mr. W. H. Yopp asked for the opinion of the City Attorney on the question of its being optional with the Board. He was told that the matter was entirely discretionary with the Board to the best of his recollection. Col. Geo. L. Moron, Mr. W. A. Dick and President J. A. Arringdale, of the Club, were heard on the question and the ordinance imposing the tax on all clubs was repealed, Alderman W. H. Yopp alone voting in the negative.

An appropriation was made for a fire hydrant to be placed in the vicinity of the Cape Fear and Hilton lumber companies.

A bill of $25 for services of the assistant librarian during March was approved.

R. B. Futch was granted change of liquor license from southeast corner of Fourth and Nixon street to northwest corner of Eighth and Nixon streets.

E. J. Hardison was granted change of meat license from Chesnut street market to Castle street. Communication of R. R. Bellamy relative to excess tax paid was referred to the Finance Committee.

The Mayor at the close of the meeting stated that he had thought of making a formal address to the Board, but the reports of the committees had covered the field. He desired merely to say that when the present administration came in the city was about $500 in debt but that they would leave to the credit of the incoming administration about $20,000. The Mayor expessed his thanks to the Board for their kindness and consideration and said she would part with his associates with regret.

Mr. O'Brien made a pretty little speech in compliment to the Mayor and at the conclusion moved a vote of thanks to the Mayor which was enthusiastically given. Mr. O'Brien also moved a vote of thanks to the "fortunate ones," the retiring Aldermen. This was also given with a hearty chorus of ayes.

Then followed the valedictories of the other members, all of whom were given the warmest applause. Alderman Moore in his valedictory made an appeal for the remaining members of the Board to uphold the hands of the incoming Mayor and to see to it that all faithful employes are retained in office. In closing he paid a touching tribute to the fidelity of his friends, "Honest Jim,' Brown, who sacrificed his own re-election to the Board for another. He likened this to the love which existed betwen Damon and Pythias and Mr. Moore's words with reference to his friend brought tears to the eyes of his hearers.

Alderman W. H. Yopp in concluding his valedictory quoted Byron and moved adjournment in honor of the late E. F. Johnson, to whom he and other members paid high tribute.

A vote of thanks was tendered to the city Clerk and Treasurer, City Attorney and the newspaper men. There were suggestions by the several members to include other officials, but in the confusion just before the formal adjournment in honor of Mr. Johnson, which was by a rising vote, only the two officials named were included in the vote.

The Monthly Reports.

The usual monthly reports were submitted and ordered on file. That of the City Clerk and Treasurer shows a balance of $29,547.94 on hand April 1st, and receipts of $12,086.74 during the month, making a total of $41,634.68. The receipts were: Merchants' license, $4,900.77; bar rooms, $3,180; market rent, $436.21; public buildings, $350.38; miscellaneous and extraordinary, $37.53; real and personal tax, current year, $2,706.66; back taxes, $330.68; costs on tax, current year, $59.43; back taxes, $79.98; paving North Fourth street, $5. The disbursements during the month were $14,426.56, leaving a balance of $27,208.12 to May account.

The Superintendent of Health reported 44 deaths during April, 19 of the decedents being white and 25 colored; 39 births, 8 white and 31 colored; health officers made 4,526 inspections; issued 623 orders for disinfectants and did 3 fumigations. The dairy inspector made 31 inspections and the plumbing inspector issued 17 permits. One case of diphtheria was quarantined. Trash carts removed 1,415 loads of garbage. The superintendent observes that the general sanitary condition of the city is good. With all of the disagreeable and changeable weather there has been little sickness and only an average number of deaths.

The Chief of the Fire Department reported 14 alarms during April and a property loss of about $1,500.

The Chief of Police reported 148 arrests during the month, 71 of the defendants being colored and 77 white. Seven were sent to the County Home, 10 to the county roads, 11 to the Superior Court and one to the jail for contempt.

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TUESDAY 10:30 to 11, TUESDAY AFTERNOON 4:30 TO 5—Colgate's 25c Violet Talcum Powder, 10c box. Limit 1 to a customer. Ladies' white Wash Belts, Gilt and Nickel Buckle, 5c.
WEDNESDAY MORNING 10:30 TO 11, AFTERNOON 4:30 TO 5—Men's 50c Patent Seamed Drawers, 25c. Limit 2 pairs to each customer.
THURSDAY MORNING 10:30 TO 11, AFTERNOON 4:30 TO 5—All Silk Taffeta Ribbon, 5-in. wide, all beautiful colors, 12 1-2c per yard. Limit 4 yards to each customer.
FRIDAY MORNING 10:30 TO 11, AFTERNOON 4:30 TO 5—White Linen finished Suiting for Skirts and Suits, 7 1-2c per yard. Limit 10 yards to each customer.
SATURDAY MORNING 10:30 TO 11, AFTERNOON 4:30 TO 5—10cMen's and Boys' Shield Bows, 1c each. Limit 2 to each customer 50c Negligee Shirts, 25c. Limit 2 to a customer.

Bargains in Mexican Drawn Work, Linen Covers and Center Pieces.

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NEW YOR STOCK MARKET.

Bad News from Wheat Crop Affected Securities.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, May 6.—The indecisive tone of the speculatve sentiment in the stock market was reflected today in the irregular fluctuations of prices. An attempt of some energy was made to advance prices, but it met with such poor response that it was abandoned, and the reaction showed some additional force from the fact of the preceding advance. Evidently the report conditions weigh on the market and leave small inducement to enter upon large commitments until actual conditions of the wheat crop are more clearly understood. Industrious efforts were made to sooth the apprehension of crop damage in connection with the early effort today to lift prices of stocks. The likelihood of exaggeration in statements made for speculative effect on the grain markets was pointed out and confidence professed that the monthly government report next Friday would prove a much less discouraging document than current market reports indicate. The efforts of these statements was helped by the initial decline in the prices of wheat when trading began in that commodity, but the later violent upturn in wheat proved too much for the equanimity of stock traders and they reversed their earlier position. The Saturday bank statement came in for some unfavorable comment. Lenders of money, while offering declining rates for short term loans, show their feeling of doubt over the fall money markets by their disinclination to make loans for periods carrying over that season. Reports of excited buying of iron helped to hold the United States Steel stocks comparatively firm. Last prices were near the lowest of the day.

Bonds were irregular. Total sales, par value, $1,474,000. United States bonds, $1,474,000. United States 3's declined 1-4 per cent. on call. Total sales stocks today 579,800 shares.

UNFINISHED EXPOSITION.

Managemen Needst $400,000 to Complete Jamestown's Big Fair.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Norfolk, Va., May 6.—Up to this time no announcement has been made by the governors of the Jamestown Exposition Company as to the placing of the $400,000 bond issue authorized by the directors of the Jamestown Exposition Saturday evening for the completing of the ter-centennial. It is stated that as many as four offers here and at New York for the floating of the bonds have been received by the exposition management.

The directors of the Jamestown company meet at 4 P. M. tomorrow to receive the final report and recommendation of the governors as to the placing of the bonds.

Washington, May 6.—"Yes we need a little money to finish the exposition," said President Harry St. George Tucker, of the Jamestown Exposition Company, after a visit to President Roosevelt today. "The Board of Directors has issued a mortgage of $400,000 and I have every reason to believe that it will be taken up in the next few days."

Mr. Tucker denied the report that Thomas F. Ryan had bought in the bonds to cover the mortgage, but said that he was perfectly satisfied with the result of his financial negotiations. With this money in hand, he said, the exposition, with fifteen good working days, would be completed.

"At present," said he "the government buildings and all the exhibit are in; the pure food exhibit is all right and the State exhibits are practically in. The Virginia mining building is practically completed. The 'War Path' is adding daily to its amusement features and the fleet which is still at Hampton Roads is a sight worth seeing."

Mr. Tucker came to Washington to make arrangements in connection with "landing day" at Jamestown which occurs on the 13th of May. He returned to Norfolk tonight.

JAPANESE SQUADRON ARRIVES.

Two Cruisers at Jamestown—Chilean Warship There.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Norfolk, Va., May 6.—Two more foreign squadrons joined today the international fleets, now in Hampton Roads in honor of the inauguration of the Jamestown Ter-centennial. They were the Nipon squadron of two cruisers, the Chitose, American-built, and the Tsubuka, under the command of Admiral Ijuin. The other is the Chilean warship, Ministero Zelleno. Both passed in through the Chesapeake capes late this afternon and tonight cast anchor off the exposition grounds. A distinguished party of Japanese officials from Washington welcomed the Japanese warships to Hmapton Roads.

It was announced today that General Baron Kuroki, of the imperial Japanese army, detailed to the exposition, and now en route here across the continent, is expected at the exposition May 13th. That day, the 300th anniversary of the landing of the colonies at Jamestown island, will be observed as Jamestown Day at the exposition.

$6.60 To Charleston, S. C., and Return Via Atlantic Coast Line.

Account Fifth National Schuetzenfest of the Nationaler Schuetzen-Bund Vereinigten Staaten von Amerika, May 6th to 14th. Tickets on sale May 4th to 10th, final limit May 15th.

For further information, Phone 160.

W. J. CRAIG,
Passenger Traffic Manager,
T. C. WHITE,
General Passenger Agent,
Wilmington, N. C.

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A Narrow Escape.

G. W. Cloyd, a merchant, of Plunk, Mo., had a narrow escape four years ago, when he ran a jimson bur into his thumb. He says: "The doctor wanted to amputate it but I would not consent. I bought a box of Bucklen's Arnica Salve and that cured the dangerous wound." 25c at R. R. Bellamy, Druggist.

Go to Gaylord's Manufacturers' Sale this week for values in white goods. **

AN ATTEMPTED RAPE.

Would-be Criminal Assailant in South Carolina Shot to Death.

A long distance telephone message last night from the Marion Star, at Marion, S. C., says that a negro attempted a criminal asssault upon an 11-year-old daughter of Mr. John Sawyer, a well-to-do farmer living near Mullins, S. C., yesterday morning. The child had gone out to the edge of some woods to feed some hogs when the negro, a laborer from an adjoining farm, accosted her. The little girl screamed and her father, at work in field nearby, ran to her assistance. The brute ran, but a posse was soon on his trail, and he was caught by one of the party in advance of the rest. The negro broke away from the man before the other men could come up, but he was subsequently overtaken some miles away and was shot to death while he was being arrested. Another attempted criminal assault was made Saturday night in the same neighborhood, and there is much excitement over the occurrences. The attempted assault Saturday night was upon the wife of the railroad agent at Zion Station, on the Raleigh and Charleston Railroad. The woman beat her assailant off with an axe.

Hurt in a Runaway.

While Mr. M. Sidbury and wife, of Scott's Hill, were on their way to the city yesterday morning, near the Scattergood place, a few miles from the city, some part of the harness on the horse they were driving became disarranged and the two alighted from the buggy until it could be repaired, Mr. Sidbury working at the harness and Mrs. Sidbury standing in the rear holding the reins. While in this position the horse ran away and dragged Mrs. Sidbury on the macadam some distance, she being unable to extricate herself from the lines. Mrs. Sidbury was quite painfully bruised and the buggy was wrecked. A telephone message was sent to the city and Mr. and Mrs. Sidbury were brought in another conveyance.

Presbyterian Revival.

Large congregations heard Rev. Mr. Stough, the celebrated evangelist, at the First Presbyterian Church Sunday and again yesterday. Mr. Stough is a very strong speaker and his singer is delighting the congregations with his stirring revival songs. Meetings will be held daily at 3:30 and 8 P. M. each day this week and the public is cordially invited.

Store Broken Into.

Saturday night a thief stole from the store of Mr. William Goodman, on Market street, $8 in cash, four boxes of knives, two watches, trousers and several other articles. The police are at work on the case.

DEATH OF IAN MCLAREN.

Famous Author Died Yesterday in Iowa—Wrote Numerous Books.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Darlington, Iowa, May 6.—Dr. John Watson (Ian McLaren), died at 11:15 A. M. today at Mount Pleasant, Iowa. The cause was blood poisoning from tonsilitis.

Dr. Watson came to Mount Pleasant on April 23 from Minneapolis to deliver a lecture. En route Dr. Watson became ill and was compelled to cancel the lecture. Last Monday and Tuesday the patient was able to be up and around and transact business. Wednesday an abscess formed in the right ear, and in twenty-four hours developed serious symptoms.

Blood poisoning set in and on Saturday other abscesses started to form in the left ear and throat. The patient's condition was aggravated by a bad attack of rheumatism. His wife, who was his constant companion in his last illness, left the room at 11 o'clock this morning. She was gone about fifteen minutes and returning found her husband lifeless.

The Rev. Dr. John Watson ("Ian McLaren") was born at Morning Tree, Essex, England, November 3, 1850. He was ordained a minister in 1875. He was appointed Lyman Beecher lecturer at Yale University in 1896 and was made minister of Sefton Park Presbyterian Church, Liverpool, in 1880. Among the publications of "Ian MacLaren" were "Beside the Bonnie Briar Bush," "The Days of Auld Lang Syne," "A Doctor of the Old School," etc., and among the works signed John Watson were "The Mind of the Master," "The Cure of Souls," "The Potter's Wheel," 'Companions of the Sorrowful Way," "The Life of the Master," "Doctrines of Grace," "The Homely Virtues," and "The Inspiration of Faith."

WIFE MURDER AT DURHAM.

Woman Found Dead in Bed With Finger Marks on Throat.

Durham, N. C., May 6.—Laid out for burial, with a photograph of her husband on her breast, the body of Lizzie Guthrie, colored, was found in her bed this morning. Finger prints on her throat showed that she had been strangled. Her husband, 'Major" Guthrie, has been arrested and held without bail. Evidence against him is very strong.

Wonderful Eczema Cure.

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IMMIGRATION FOR SOUTH

Commissioner Watson Will Be Heard at Washington.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Washington, May 6.—Immigration Commissioner Watson of South Carolina, will be given a hearing by the National Immigration Commission in Washington Friday of this week. Mr. Watson has been abroad a number of times in efforts to interest a desirable class of immigrants in the opportunities afforded for work in the southern part of the country and the commission is anxious to hear from him.

Six members of the immigration commission are to sail for Europe on May 18th to pursue their investigations into the immigration question.

A WILMINGGTON CORPORATION.

Investment Trust Company Chartered by Secretary of State.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Raleigh, N. C., May 6.—A charter was granted today to the Investment Trust Company of Wilmington, with an authorized capital stock of $200,000, of which $10,000 has been subscribed. The incorporators are Hugh MacRae, 92 shares; H. M. Chase, 2 shares; A. B. Skelding, 2 shares; C. Van Leuven, 2 shares, and Raymond Hunt, 2 shares. The object is to act as trustee for persons and corporations, to promote and assist financially corporations, etc.

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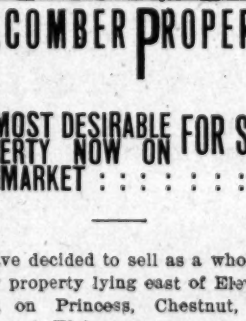

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Notice of Election

FOR THE MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN OF THE CITY OF WILMINGTON AND FOR BONDS FOR STREET IMPROVEMENT AND WATER AND SEWERAGE.

The Board of Aldermen of the City of Wilmington, North Carolina, in accordance with the provisions of Chapter, entitled Towns, subdivision 7, of the Revisal of North Carolina of 1905 and in accordance with the provisions of an act of the General Assembly of North Carolina passed at its 1907 session, entitled "An Act to Allow the City of Wilmington, North Carolina, to Issue Bonds for Street Improvement," and in accordance with the provisions of another act passed at the 1907 session of the General Assembly of North Carolina, entitled "An Act to Allow the City of Wilmington to Issue Bonds for Water and Sewerage"; and by virtue of the powers therein given, do hereby call an election to be held by the qualified voters of the City of Wilmington on the 7th day of May, 1907, between the hours of eight o'clock and sunset of said day, for the election of two Aldermen from each of the five wards thereof; and also to determine whether the City of Wilmington shall issue bonds for Street Improvement, to the amount of four hundred thousand dollars ($400,000) and the levy and collection of the tax for the payment of said bonds and coupons; and further to determine whether the said City of Wilmington shall issue bonds for Water and Sewerage to the amount of five hundred thousand dollars ($500,000) and the levy and collection of the tax for the payment of such bonds and coupons.

At said election all qualified voters of the City of Wilmington shall vote a ballot of white paper, three inches long and two inches wide, upon which shall be written or printed the names of two electors from each of the five wards of the City of Wilmington to be voted for as members of the Board of Aldermen of said city. And all qualified voters who favor the issuance of bonds to the amount of four hundred thousand dollars $(400,000) for Street Improvement, and the levy and collection of the tax for the payment of said bonds and coupons, shall vote a ballot of white paper, three inches long and two inches wide, with "For Street Improvement" written or printed thereon; and all qualified voters opposed thereto shall vote a ballot of similar size with "Against Street Improvement" written or printed thereon.

And all qualified voters who are in favor of the issuance of bonds to the amount of five hundred thousand dollars ($500,000) for Water and Sewerage, and the levy and collection of the tax for the payment of said bonds and coupons, shall vote a ballot of white paper, three inches long and two inches wide, with "For Water and Sewerage" written or printed thereon, and all qualified voters opposed thereto shall vote a similar ballot with "Against Water and Sewerage" written or printed thereon.

For the purpose of the elections as authorized by said Chapter entitled "Towns" of the Revisal of 1905 of North Carolina, and as authorized by the Acts aforesaid, no new Registration of the Electors for said elections shall be required, but the Registrars hereinafter named shall revise the registration books of their wards in such manner that said books shall show an accurate list of all electors previously registered in their wards and still residing therein, without requiring said electors to register anew.

And the following are designated as the polling places in the several wards in the City of Wilmington, and the persons hereinafter named are appointed as Registrars and Judges of Election in the said wards, to-wit:

First Ward, polling place—Hose Reel House, Fourth Street Bridge: Registrar—Isaiah West; Judges of Election—W. H. Coleman and C. O. Knox.

Second Ward, polling place—Old Court House: Registrar—C. T. Smaw—Judges of Election—Roger Moore and W. J. Meredith.

Third Ward, polling place—Giblem Lodge: Registrar—A. G. Hankins; Judges of Election—L. B. Sasser and C. D. Morrell.

Fourth Ward, polling place—Worth's Ice House: Registrar—T. G. Pickett; Judges of Election—J. S. Williams and D. L. Gore.

Fifth Ward, polling place—Market House at Fifth and Castle Streets: Registrar—J. W. Gafford; Judges of Election—T. G. Landen and Thomas Lossen.

For the purpose of allowing any elector, residing in any of the wards of said city, and entitled to register, whose name has never before been registered, and does not appear in the revised list, to register, the Registrars in each ward between the hours of nine o'clock A. M. and five o'clock P. M. on the 19th, 22nd, 23rd, 24th, 25th and 26th days of April, 1907, and between the hours of nine o'clock A. M. and nine o'clock P. M. on Saturdays, the 20th and 27th days of April, 1907, shall keep open the registration books of said ward for the registration of any new elector as aforesaid; and on the second Saturday before election day, to-wit, the 27th day of April, 1907, between the hours of nine o'clock A. M. and nine o'clock P. M. the registration books shall be kept open at the polling places in each ward for the inspection of the electors of said ward and any of the electors shall be allowed to object to the name of any person appearing on said book.

By order of the Board of Aldermen of the City of Wilmington, North Carolina, this the 3rd day of April, 1907.

JNO. J. FOWLER,
City Clerk and Treasurer.
apr 4 to may 7 (inc)

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25c White Pique this week, manufacturing Sale, 13c yard.	20c 40-inch White Lawns, this week, 15c.
25c Colored Organdy this week, Manufacturing Sale, 10c yard.	12 1-4 Percales, 36 inches wide, this week, 10c yard.
15c Colored Lawns this week, Manufacturing Sale, 8c yard.	10c 36-inch Percales this week 8c yard.
10c Colored Lawns this week, Manufacturing Sale, 6c yard.	12 1-2c Dress Ginghams this week 8c yard.
12 1-2c 40-inch White Lawns this week 10c.	25c 42-inch French Lawns this week 19c.
15c 40-inch White Lawns this week, 12 1-2c.	25c Madras this week 19c.
	15c White Madras this week 9c.
	25c. Dotted Swiss this week 14.

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Lv. Wilmington.....9:40 A. M. Ar. Norfolk.....8:15 P. M.
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SPIRITS TURPENTINE

—The Uniform Rank, K. of P., has reorganized at Salisbury with Dr. C. E. Smith as captain.

—"Victory" is another new village of the extensive outskirts of Fayetteville—a collection of neat cottages, pleasant garden spots and clean streets for the operatives of the cotton mill of the Victory Manufacturing Company, soon to begin work with 25,000 spindles and 800 looms.

—Wilson, May 4: Beginning today the city commenced to run the electric light plant day as well as night. This continuous current has been in demand here for some time, and it is thought that soon a good many more will utilize same, especially small plants. A reduction of 25 per cent. in electric rates also went into effect today.

—Oxford, May 4: Ruffin Fuller, colored, was today found guilty in Superior Court for criminally assaulting Lena Lyon, colored, near Stems, last Friday, using his pistol to accomplish his design. It appears that Fuller, when drinking, shows unmistakable signs of insanity, as has been evidenced in part. Judge Justice's sentence was that he should be hanged on Friday, the 11th of July next.

—Fayetteville, May 5: D. P. Lockamy, white, aged about 25 years, living in the western part of the county, was committed to jail yesterday, insane, pending his transfer to an asylum. This seems to be a serious case of homicidel mania, Lockamy having threatened the lives of several people in his neighborhood. He has already been an inmate of an asylum, from which he was discharged two or three years ago.

—Fayetteville, May 5: Last night Sheriff Watson with Deputy Sheriff Culbreath seized one of the biggest "moonshiner" outfits ever captured in this county, composed of a 50-gallon still and 1,800 gallons of beer, situated at the head of an immense gallberry swamp in the wildest part of Rockfish township. The blockaders were evidently resting at home, but everything was ready for the night work of turning beer into whiskey.

—Wilson, May 4: The cotton receipts on the Wilson market this season greatly exceed the receipts for last year. The receipts this season to date amount to 15,322 bales, against 10,534 for the corresponding period last season. The tobacco sales this season amounted to 15,000,000 pounds, at an average price of nearly 11 cents. There will be some increase in the tobacco acreage this season and the warehouses confidently expect to sell here next season 20,000,000 pounds.

—Fayetteville, May 4: This afternoon Chief of Police Benton, with a search warrant, seized eleven quarts of whiskey and the soft-drink bottling establishment of G. L. Allen on Bow street and arrested him for selling liquor. Mr. Allen is a prominent citizen and was independent candidate for sheriff at the last election. He states that the whiskey was two gallons ordered by Dr. Fann and himself from Virginia for their own use and that he bottled the whiskey and placed it in the refrigerator. His trial will come off later.

—Fayetteville, May 5: The agricultural development and progress of Cumberland county is general and gratifying. In the western part, especially, great strides have been made towards intensive farming. The yields of cotton and corn are larger, and trucking has greatly increased. The value of these lands is shown in the fact that within the past few years farmers from the famous Marlboro section of South Carolina have bought large tracts, and have settled here. Lately also several Croatans from Robeson county have moved to Western Cumberland.

—Fayetteville, May 5: An unusual case came up in Superior Court yesterday when E. J. Johnson brought suit against Dr. H. K. Averitt for damages for the death of his wife, charking that the physician had fatally poisoned his wife's system by the use of quinine. No evidence was adduced to support the charge and the plaintiff was non-suited. Dr. Averitt is president of the Cumberland County Medical Society and a reputable physician. This civil suit permits a little curious speculation. Suppose Johnson had won his suit, would not Dr. Averitt have become defendant in a criminal court, charged with murder by the use of one of the most beneficial specifics in medical science and practice, quinine?

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We will occupy our new store in the new Garrell Building June the first. We are determined to not put one single piece in there ever shown on our other floors, therefore must sell what we have on hand.

Some of these goods will go at cost, many below cost, some perhaps at a minimum profit. At these prices, we shall expect CASH. Arrangements can be made to buy at installment, though. In the stock is a solid car of porch goods received this week.

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Some clothes seem to be only fair weather clothes, and cockel and droop in the mist and rain. Woolen clothes don't and ours are woolen.

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$1.50, $1.75, $2.00.

WE FIT THE FEET.

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109 MARKET STREET.

apr 12 tf

For Clerk

Recorder's Court, subject to the will of the people to be expressed May 7th.

F. T. SKIPPER,

apr 10 til may 7

Atlantic Coast Line

Schedule in Effect May 6th, 1907.

NOTICE.

The arrivals and departures are given as information, as well as connections with other companies; but arrivals and connections are not guaranteed.

NORTHBOUND.

	No. 48	No. 42
Lv Wilminrton	9 40 a m	6.35 p m
Ar Goldsboro	12.37 p m	9.32 p m
Ar Rocky Mount	2 40 p m	11.15 p m
Ar. Weldon	5.08 p m	2.32 p m
Ar Norfolk	8 15 p m	7 30 a m
Ar Wilson	2 00 p m	10.25 p m
Ar Weldon	5.08 p m	2.32 a m
Ar. Petersburg	7.12 p m	4.27 a m
Ar Richmond	8.00 p m	5.10 a m
Ar Washington	11.40 p m	8.50 a m
Ar Baltimore	1.43 a m	10.13 a m
Ar Philadelphia	4.25 a m	12.27 a m
Ar New York	7.20 a m	3.00 a m

SOUTHBOUND

	No. 41	No. 49
Lv New York	9.25 a m	9.25 p m
Ar Philadelphia	1.55 a m	12.01 a m
Ar Baltimore	2.12 p m	2.32 a m
Ar Washington	3.21 p m	3.45 a m
Ar Norfolk		8.30 a m
Lv Richmond	7.25 p m	8.25 a m
Ar. Petersburg	8.05 p m	9.13 a m
Ar Weldon	9.53 p m	11.35 p m
Ar Rocky Mount	10.58 p m	1.00 p m
Ar Wilson	11.40 p m	2.40 p m
Ar Goldsboro	6.05 a m	3.12 p m
A. Wilmington	10.00 a m	6.10 p m

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND THE SOUTH SOUTHBOUND

	Daily	Daily	Daily
Lv Wilm'ton	5.40 am	3.35 pm	6.35 pm
Ar Florence	9.35 am	7.30 pm	4.15 am
Ar Columbia	12.45 pm	11.10 pm	am
Ar. Ch'lest'n	1.40 pm	11.37 pm	7.05 am
Ar Savannah	6.45 pm	2.55 am	9.30 am
Ar Jack'ville		8.40 am	2.10 pm
Ar Tampa		7.10 pm	10.35 am

NORTHBOUND.

	Daily	Daily
Lv Tampa	9.00 pm	10.30 am
Lv Jacksonville	8.55 am	8.05 pm
Ar Savannah	12.55 pm	1.15 am
Lv. Charleston	5.30 pm	6.15 am
Lv Columbia	4.30 pm	6.45 am
Ar Florence	8.10 pm	9.25 am
Ar. Wilmington	12.30 am	1.55 pm

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND SANFORD.

	West Bound Daily	East Bound Daily
Lv Wilmington	8.45am	Ar 8.10 pm
Lv Fayetteville	12.35 pm	Ar 4.55 pm
Lv Sanford	3.40 pm	Ar 1.55 pm

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND NEWBERN.

	N. Bound Daily ex Sun	South Bound
Ar Wilmington	2.40 pm	1.00 pm
Ar Newbern	6.10 pm	Lv 9.35 am

Trains Nos. 42 and 41 carry Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Washington connecting with Pennsylvania R. R. for all points east, also between Wilmington and Norfolk.

Trains 48 and 49 carry Pullman Parlor cars between Wilmington and Norfolk.

T. C. WHITE, General Passenger Agent
W. J. CRAIG, Passenger Traffic Manager.

To The Beach.

SUBURBAN SCHEDULE.

In effect October 28th, 1906

Leave Wilmington	Leave Wrightsville	Leave Beach
x 6.40 a m	x6.30 a m	
x 8.30 a m	x8.00 a m	
10.00 a m	xx9.00 a m	
11.30 a m	11.00 a m	10.45 a m
1.30 p m	12.30 p m	12.15 p m
3.00 p m	2.25 p m	2.05 p m
5.00 p m	4.25 p m	4.15 p m
6.30 p m	5.55 p m	5.45 p m
8.00 p m	7.30 p m	
9.30 p m	9.00 p m	
11.00 p m	10.30 p m	

xDaily except Sunday.

xx Sundays this car will leave Wrightsville at 10:00 a. m. instead of at 9:00 a. m.

Cars leaving Wilmington at 7 a. m., 8.30 A. m., 8.00 p. m. and 9.30 p. m. will not run beyond Wrightsville unless there are passengers for the Beach.

SUNDAY SCHEDULE.

Cars every half hour from 1.00 to 6.30 p m in addition to the above schedule.

Special Car to Golf Grounds

Leave Front and Princess Streets daily, except Sunday, at 3:30, 4:00, 4:30 and 5:30 P. M.

FREIGHT SCHEDULE.

Freight cars leaves Wilmington daily cept Sunday at 4.00 p m. Freight depot op from 2.00 to 4.00 p m

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Ar. Cincinnati	8:15 A. M.	5.00 P. M.
Ar. Chicago	5.30 P. M	7.10 A. M.
Ar. St. Louis	6.28 P. M.	7.15 A. M
Ar. Louisville	11.20 A. M.	8.00 P.M.

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COMMERCIAL

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

(Quoted officially at the closing by the Chamber of Commerce.)

STAR OFFICE, May 6.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Market, nothing doing.

ROSIN—Nothing doing.

TAR—Firm, $2.30 per barrel of 280 pounds.

CRUDE TURPENTINE — Market firm, $3.50 per barrel for hard, $4.80 bid for dip and $5.25 bid for virgin.

Quotations same day last year—spirits turpentine, nothing doing; rosin, firm, $3.45; tar, firm, $1.80; crude turpentine, $2.90, $4.75 and $5.25.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits Turpentine	13
Rosin	45
Tar	88
Crude Turpentine	3

Receipts same day last year, 21 casks spirits turpentine; 67 barrels rosin; 13 barrels tar; 127 barrels of crude turpentine.

COTTON MARKET.

Market, steady, 11c.

Same day last year—Steady, 11 1-8.

Receipts, 371 bales; same day last year, 218.

PRODUCE MARKET.

PEANUTS—North Carolina Prime $1.45; extra prime, $1.50; fancy, $1.55 per bushel of 28 pounds; Virginia—No. 1 new, $1.20; fancy, $1.25; Spanish, $1.45@$1.50.

CORN—Firm, 68@70c per bushel for white; 66@68 for mixed.

N. C. BACON—Steady, hams, 16@18c per pound; shoulders, 12@13c; sides dull, 11@13c.

EGGS—Firm, 16@17c.

CHICKENS—Firm, 20@35 for small grows 40@50c.

BEESWAX—Firm, at 26@27c.

TALLOW—Firm at 4 1-2@5c. per per pound.

BEEF CATTLE—Dull at 2 to 4c 7 1-2@8 per pound.

HIDES—Dry flint, 14 to 15c; green 8@8 1-2c per pound.

PORK—Corn fed 8@10.

TURKEYS—Firm, live 15@16c; dressed 20 @ 22c.

THE COTTON MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, May 6.—The cotton market was active and generally firm during today's session with prices making a new high record for the movement on bull support and covering. Sales were estimated at 350,000 bales and the close was very steady at a net advance of 18 to 26 points. The opening was firm at an advance of 10 to 17 points in response to higher cables and wet weather in the central belt. According to private cables, Liverpool was influenced by the covering of Continental interests of cotton destroyed by the Bremen fire and the market there was also said to be helped by reports that labor troubles in Lancashire had been avoided. The fact that the injunction proceedings against the New York Cotton Exchange had been withdrawn and the matter was to be taken before a referee also added to the confidence of local bulls, and with new crops news of a generally bullish average, prices here rapidly advanced, reaching the high point after the publication of the Western belt forecast calling for unsettled and colder weather. There was some irregularity in the late session as a result of realizing but prices did not reach more than 3 or 4 points from the best and closed within a point or so of the top. Southern spot markets reported early were unchanged to 1-8c higher. Very bullish crop reports are being received from the central belt, where too much rain is complained of, and Little Rock reports four inches this morning.

Receipts at the ports today, 8,000 bales, against 11,469 last week and 8,936 last year. For the week 66,000 bales against 72,826 last week and 68,347 last year. Today's receipts at New Orleans, 1,274 bales against 3,004 last year and at Houston 1,876 bales against 1,595 last year.

Spot cotton closed steady; middling uplands, 11.70; middling gulf, 11.95; sales, 3,613 bales. Futures closed very steady.

Month.	Open.	Closing.
May	10.30	10.46
June	.....	10.46
July	10.36	10.49
August	10.30	10.38
September	10.30	10.37
October	10.53	10.56
November	10.52	10.59
December	10.58	10.63
January	10.73	10.78
February	.....	10.90
March	.....	10.88

PORT MOVEMENT.

Galveston—Firm, 12; net receipts, 4,703.

New Orleans—Firm, 11 5-8; net receipts, 1,274.

Mobile—Firm, 10 7-8; net receipts, 465.

Savannah—Steady, 11 1-8; net receipts, 1,792.

Charleston—Firm, 11; net receipts, 26.

Wilmington—Steady, 11 1-8; net receipts, 371.

Norfolk—Firm, 12 3-8; net receipts, 1,127.

Baltimore—Nominal, 11 7-8.

New York—Steady, 11.70.

Boston—Steady, 11.70; net receipts, 140.

Philadelphia—Steady, 11.95.

Total today, at all ports—Net, 11,528; Great Britain, 15,767; Continent, 3,745; stock, 559,675.

Consolidated, at all ports—Net, 18,699; Great Britain, 32,004; Continent, 6,522.

Total since September 1, at all ports—Net, 9,422,073; Great Britain, 3,512,225; France, 865,697; Continent, 3,132,925; Japan, 223,149.

Interior Movement.

Houston—Steady, 12; net receipts, 1,876.

Augusta—Steady, 12; net receipts, 134.

Memphis—Steady, 11 3-8; net receipts, 1,592.

St. Louis—Steady, 11 3-8; net receipts, 145.

Cincinnati—Net receipts, 67.

Louisville—Firm, 11 1-4.

Total today—Net receipts, 3,814; gross receipts, 5,969; shipments, 8,769; sales, 2,231; stock, 234,654.

LIVERPOOL MARKET.

Liverpool, May 6.—Cotton: Spot closed in fair demand, prices 8 points higher. American middling, fair 7.79; good middling, 7.25; middling, 6.71; low middling, 6.37; good ordinary, 5.71; ordinary, 5.33. The sales of the day were 10,000 bales, of which 500 were for speculation and export and included 9,800 American. Receipts, 41,000 bales, including 40,200 American. Futures opened firm and closed steady. American middling, G. O. C.: May, 6.22; May and June, 6.21 1-2; June and July, 6.13; July and August, 6.07 1-2; August and September, 5.96 1-2; September and October, 5.88; October and November, 5.81 12; November and December, 5.79 1-2; December and January, 5.78; January and February, 5.77 1-2; February and March, 5.78 1-2; March and April, 5.79 1-2.

DRY GOODS MARKET.

By Wire to The Morning Star.

New York, May 6.—The dry goods market opened quiet and firm, the retail trade being again bettered by rain. Prices are firm on cottons and some operators are again covering their needs into October. The carpet openings occurred during the day and were fully attended. Rugs were advanced 50 cents a piece, but other changes were slight, but tending upward. Dress goods are quiet.

FINANCIAL MARKET.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

New York, May 6.—Money on call, steady, 2 1-2@3 per cent.; ruling rate, 2 3-4; closing bid, 2 1-2; offered at 3. Time loans, easy; sixty days, 3 1-2 per cent; ninety days, 3 3-4@4 per cent.; six months, 4 1-2 per cent. Prime mercantile paper, 5 1-2@6 per cent. Sterling exchange, firm with actual business in bankers' bills at 4.8650@4.8655 for demand and at 4.8360@4.8365 for sixty day bills. Posted rates, 4.84 and 4.87. Commercial bills, 4.83 1-4@4.83 3-8. Bar silver, 65 1-4. Mexican dollars, 50 1-4.

New York Bonds.

U. S. Refunding 2s reg	104
U. S. Refunding 2s cou	104
U. S. Reg	102 1-4
U. S. 3s cou	102 1-4
U. S. old 4s reg	101 1-4
U. S. old 4s reg	101 1-4
U. S. new 4s reg	129 1-2
U. S. new 4s cou	129 1-2
American Tobacco Co. 4s	73 5-8
American Tobacco Co 6s	106 5-8
Atlantic Coast Line 4s	95 1-4
Baltimore & Ohio 4s	100 1-2
L. & N. Unified 4s	101 1-4
Seaboard Air Line 4s	75
Southern Railway 5s	110 7-8
U. S. Steel 2nd pfd ex int	97

Closing Stock List.

Amalgamated Copper	95
American Sugar Refining	124 1-2
American Tobacco pfd cert	92 3-4
Atlantic Coast Line	101 3-4
Baltimore & Ohio	99
Baltimore & Ohio pfd	88
Chesapeake & Ohio	41 5-8
L. & N.	119 1-8
New York Central	116 1-8
Norfolk & Western	77 5-8
Norfolk & Western pfd	81
People's Gas	92 3-4
Reading	112 3-4
Reading 1st pfd	83 7-8
Reading 2nd pfd	81 7-8
Southern Pacific	84 5-8
Southern Pacific pfd	116 1-2
Southern Railway	21 1-2
Southern Railway pfd	66 1-4
Tenn. Coal & Iron	146
U. S. Steel	37 1-2
U. S. Steel pfd	102
Va-Car. Chemical	27
Va-Car. Chemical pfd	103
Seaboard Air Line	—
Seaboard Air Line pfd	—
Standard Oil	523
Western Union	82 1-2

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKET.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

New York, May 6.—FLOUR, firm but dull.

CORN MEAL—Steady.

WHEAT—Spot, firm; No. 2 red, 91 elevator. Options, 1 3-8c higher. May, 93; July, 93 1-4; September, 93 3-4; December, 95 3-4.

CORN—Spot, easy; No. 2, 59 elevator. Options, 1-4 to 3-8c net higher. May, 60 1-4; July, 58 1-4; September, 58 3-8.

OATS—Spot market steady; mixed, 47 1-2@48.

LARD—Firm; western prime, 8.95 @9.05; refined, firm; continent, 9.50; S. A., 10.25; compound, 8 3-8@8 5-8.

PORK—Firm.

TALLOW—Steady.

RICE—Steady.

MOLASSES—Steady.

SUGAR—Raw, firm; fair refining, 3.26; centifugal, 96 test, 3.76; molasses sugar, 3.02. Refined, steady.

COFFEE—Spot Rio, quiet; No. 7, 6 1-2; No. 4 Santos, 7 1-2; mild coffee, dull; Cordova, 9@ 12 1-4. Futures, 10 to 15 points lower.

BUTTER—Firm; extra creamy, 27 @27 1-2; creamery, common to extra, 21@27; held, common to firsts, 20@25; state dairy, common to fancy, 20@26; renovated, common to extra, 18@25 1-2; western factory, common to firsts, 19@22; western imitation creamery extras, 25; firsts, 22@23.

CHEESE—Steady; full cream, small and large, colored and white, 12 1-2@15; skims, 1 1-2@10 3-4.

EGGS—Firm; receipts, 25,569. State nearby selected white, 21; do choice, 20; brown and mixed extras, 19 1-2 @20; firsts to extra firsts, 18@18 1-2; western regular packing firsts, 18; seconds, 17@17 1-2.

FREIGHTS TO LIVERPOOL—Steady; cotton by steam, 1; grain by steam, 1 1-4c.

PEANUTS—Steady; fancy handpicked, 6 1-2@6 3-4; other domestic, 3 1-2@7.

POTATOES—Irregular; old, per barrel, 1.90@2.25; new, 3.00@6.00; sweets, per basket, 1.00@2.00.

CABBAGES—Steady, 1.00@2.25 per crate.

COTTON SEED OIL was more active and firm on bullish crop advices and covering. Prime crude f. o. b. mills, 39@40 nominal; prime summer yellow, 50; off summer yellow, 45 1-2 @46 1-2; good off summer yellow, 46 @47; prime white, 55@56; prime winter yellow, 54 1-2@55 1-2.

CHICAGO PRODUCE MARKET.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

Chicago, May 6.—Prices in the market today advanced from a point more than half cent below the closing quotations of Saturday to almost 2 cents above that mark. At the close the July delivery showed a net gain of 1 3-8@ 1 1-2. Corn and oats were each up 1-4c. Provisions were 12 1-2 @15 to 30c higher.

Leading futures closed as follows:

Wheat—May, 83; July, 85 3-8; September, 86 7-8@87; December, 88 3-8.

Corn—May, 49 5-8; July, 49 7-8; September, 50@50 1-8.

Oats—May, 44 5-8; July, 43; September, 36 1-4.

Mess pork, per barrel—May, 16.00; July, 16.25; September, 16.35.

Lard, per 100 pounds—May, 8.87 1-2; July, 9.02 1-2; September, 9.15.

Short ribs, per 100 pounds—May, 8.75; July, 8.90; September, 9.02 1-2.

Cash quotations were as follows: Flour, steady; No. 2 Spring wheat, 86@88; No. 3, 77@87; No. 2 red, 80 7-8@83 1-2; No. 2 corn, 50@50 1-4; No. 2 yellow, 50 1-2@50 3-4; No. 2 oats, 44 5-8; No. 2 white, 45@45 1-4; No. 3 white, 41@45; No. 2 rye, 71 1-2; short ribs sides (loose), 8.50@8.75; mess pork, per barrel, 16.00@16.25; lard, per 100 pounds, 8.87 1-2; short clear sides (boxed), 8.85@8.90; whiskey, basis of high wines, 1.29.

NAVAL STORES.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

New York, May 6.—Turpentine steady, 66 3-4 to 67 1-2; rosin, firm.

Savannah, May 6.—Turpentine steady, 64 1-2; sales, 342; receipts, 295; shipments, 175.

Rosin, firm; sales, 2,018; receipts, 678; receipts, 1,491; stock, 21,766. Quote: A. B. C., 4.30@4.35; D, 4.50; E, 4.60@4.65; F, 4.70; G, 4.70@4.75; H, 4.80; I, 4.90; K, 5.15; M, 5.20; N, 5.25; WG, 5.40; WW, 5.55@5.60.

Charleston, May 6.—Turpentine and rosin, nothing doing.

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BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton Yesterday.

Wilmington, May 6, 1907.

W. & W. Railroad—50 bales cotton; 3 casks spirits turpentine; 13 barrels rosin; 1 barrel crude turpentine.

W. C. & A. Railroad—139 bales cotton; 2 casks spirits turpentine; 15 barrels rosin; 48 barrels tar; 1 barrel crude turpentine.

A. & Y. Railroad—2 bales cotton; 14 barrels tar.

Str. Whitlock—7 casks spirits turpentine; 14 barrels rosin.

Str. City of Fayetteville—180 bales cotton; 1 cask spirits turpentine; 3 barrels rosin; 26 barrels tar; 1 barrel crude turpentine.

Total—371 bales cotton; 13 casks spirits turpentine; 45 barrels rosin; 88 barrels tar; 3 barrels crude turpentine.

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COTTON

New York, May 6, 1907.
(Special Star Telegram.)

New York, May 6.—As a result of conference between counsel I have consented to withdraw my application for an injunction against the classification committee, and the New York Cotton Exchange, on condition that the defendants consent to do to immediate trial of all the issues before a referee, to be appointd by the Supreme Court, and proceed from day to day in taking testimony, in proof of the facts. This will result in a thorough inquiry into present and past conditions governing the cotton business of New York city, and will, in my opinion, effectively stop the delivery of cotton on contract here that is not properly tenderable, and check any disposition to violate the rules of the New York Cotton Exchange. From now on I believe we shall have a contract that really represents merchantable cotton and bears some just relation to the value of the article. The trial before the referee will be conducted with all possible expedition, and I invite any who may have evidence to give on the subject to place the same at my disposal to the end that the New York Cotton Exchange may be rehabilitated in the eyes of the world, and may properly perform its important function toward the trade and cease to be the object of antagonistic legislation throughout the South. I believe that under the improved conditions which will result from my action, the New York Cotton Exchange has a brighter future before it, and that it will not be long before the contract here will be a legitimate exponent of the real value of spinnable cotton, and as such again available to producers and consumers as a means of properly protecting themselves against the risk of a decline or advance in the market. It has been widely charged by my enemies and some of my former friends that my action was taken with a view of springing a surprise upon the market and forcing a "corner" by injunction. Such is not the case, and the best possible proof of it is my willingness to abandon the injunction pending a trial, if the trial proceed forthwith. I am unalterably opposed to corners. I believe them to be uncommercial and as a rule unprofitable. I never participated in but one, when at the invitation of Messrs. S. Gruner & Co., of this city, I joined with them in a corner of August cotton. The experience convinced me of the utter futility of attempting to advance the price of a great commodity like cotton by manipulative methods. My injunction was simply a demand that the by-laws of the Cotton Exchange itself be observed. It had not seemed to me that such a demand would effect a corner. Mr. Henry W. Taft, counsel for the New York Cotton Exchange, in the New York Sun of May 4th is quoted as follows:

"Although Mr. Price will do little except enjoin the classification committee from doing things that are already technical violations of the by-laws of the Exchange, the terms so general that the committee could not continue its 'work,' and without the classification of the cotton, trading cannot "go on."

"I submit that if it be necessary that the by-laws of the New York Cotton Exchange be violated to enable it to continue its present methods, then is it not time that those who are invited to trade upon the New York Cotton Exchange be put upon notice of such condition, and am I to blame if, having bought cotton under the rules of the New York Cotton Exchange, I insist upon the enforcement of those rules to protect my rights there under in the consummation of my contracts.

By every means available to me I have endeavored to bring the abuses of which I complain to the attention of the Exchange administration. I publicly announced nearly a month ago that I should avail myself of legal remedy, if such a legal remedy existed, and there is no justification whatever for the widely disseminated statements that I have endeavored to spring a surprise on the Exchange. I believe cotton is destined to sell much higher. I believe this because the stocks of tendeable cotton—even the cotton tenderable under the by-laws of the New York Cotton Exchange—are practically exhausted in America, and because, while the world needs an American cotton crop of at least 13,500,000 bales next year, the prospect is that the yield will be much less than this.

I believe that as a result of the reforms now almost certain to be established in New York, the New York Cotton Exchange will enjoy a very large and legitimate business, and that those who are likely to require cotton in the future can with confidence protect themselves against such requirements through the purchase of a contract on the New York Cotton Exchange, the integrity of which, in the face of considerable opprobrium, I have done my best to rehabilitate, and shall do my best to maintain.

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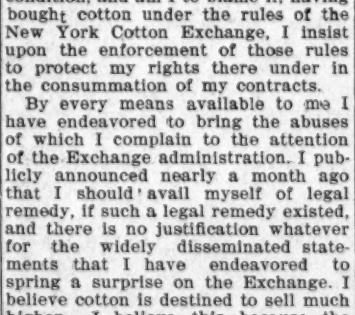

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(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Boise, Idaho, May 6.—The argument of the motion of the defense for a bill of particulars in the case of William D. Haywood, charged with the murder of former Governor Steunenberg, was commenced before Judge Fremont Wood at 10:15 A. M. By direction of the court, Haywood was brought up from the county jail below to attend the hearing on the motion. Sheriff Shad Hodgin and two deputies brought the prisoner into the room and gave him a seat at the table of his counsel. He was not handcuffed.

Senator Borah represented the State and Messrs. Richardson and Darrow, the prisoner.

Mr. Richardson opened his argument by reading the indictment of Haywood, Moyer, Pettibone, Orchard and Simkins, charged with the murder of Governor Steunenberg.

Mr. Richardson contended that the indictments only showed that Governor Steunenberg had been killed by a bomb, that Haywood was charged with conspiring to have Steunenberg murdered, and that Haywood was charged with being present and actually committing the crime, an assertion that every one knew to be untrue. "Mr. Haywood," said the attorney, "knows all that he did at all times, but he does not know what witnesses may come here and testify. He is entitled to know the overt charge against him. The indictment gave the prisoner absolutely no information as to the nature of the charge against him." Senator Borah who began for the State, said that the defense was not seeking particularization of the indictment but possession of the evidence by which the State hoped to prove its case. He then explained that the charge that Haywood was at Caldwell when the murder was committed was necessary under the Idaho statutes.

Senator Borah said that the indictments as to murder were surely specific enough to show the prisoner the exact nature of the charge he must meet. The demand for particulars as to the conspiracy was a demand for evidence.

Clarence Darrow, of the defense, then addressed the court. He said that about all there was to the provision was that if the court thought it was fair to have the bill of particulars it could grant it. It was purely a question of fairness and justice to the defendant. "Mr. Borah says we do not want a better pleading, but that we are after the evidence," said Mr. Darrow. "We are. Why not? Why are we not entitled to know what the evidence will show so that we may prepare to meet it?"

Judge Wood, at 3 P. M., announced that he would not decide the matter of furnishing the defense a bill of particulars until Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock. Court then adjourned for the day.

Immediately before the opening of the court for the hearing of a motion for a bill of particulars, Clarence Darrow, of counsel for the defense, said to the correspondent of the Associated Press:

"Under the laws and constitution, Moyer, Haywood and Pettibone are to be tried in court by a jury of their peers. The forum is the State Court of Idaho. Under these facts I do not see what there is for President Roosevelt to do. All we have a right, or desire to ask either of him or any other citizen, is to leave the courts and juries to administer the law fairly and without prejudice and without influence from the outside."

BASE BALL.

American League.
Chicago, 5; Cleveland, 3.
Washington-Boston, rain.
Philadelphia-New York, rain.
St. Louis-Detroit, rain.

National League.
Chicago-Pittsburg, rain.
New York-Brooklyn, rain.
Boston-Philadelphia, rain.

Southern League.
Nashville, 9; Atlanta, 2.
Memphis, 3; New Orleans, 2.
Birmingham-Montgomery, rain.
No other games scheduled.

South Atlantic League.
Augusta, 4; Savannah, 2.
Jacksonville, 3; Macon, 0.
Columbia, 1; Charleston, 7.

Virginia League.
Portsmouth, 7; Roanoke, 2. Seven innings, rain.)
Danville, 4; Richmond, 2.
Norfolk-Lynchburg, rain.

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President By Wire From Washington Fired Gun at Charleston Schuetzenfest.

HE HEARD REPORT BY PHONE

There Were Three Shots and Good Scores Were Made—President National Airs Three Cheers for Him Over Wires.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Charleston, S. C., May 6.—President Theodore Roosevelt touched a button in the White House today at 2:37 P. M., and formally opened the fifth triennial schutezenfest of the National Schuetzenfest of America. The button was electrically connected with a rfle on the range at the schuetzenplatz in this city and the detonation that followed was heard in the White House by the aid of a telephone, a minute later the result of the shot being communicated to the President. Three shots were fired at a ring target, the scores being 24, twenty-one and twenty-four, total sixty-nine out of a possible seventy-five. The final result was announced to the President by Governor M. F. Ansel, of South Carolina, who stood near and after the congratulations and felicitations were exchanged the President was enabled to hear "My Country, 'Tis of Thee," and "The Star Spangled Banner," and three cheers for the President given by the people just outside of the shooting grounds. The opening of the fest was preceded by a parade in which 3,000 Schuetzens and others participated. The city is full of visitors and the fest opened most auspiciously with a splendid attendance and everything working according to programme. Among the distinguished guests is Dr. Zopfel, German consul at Atlanta, Governor Ansel and many others. Riflemen from many States, including California, are present. The fest will continue until next Tuesday.

MEAT INSPECTION BUSINESS.

Government Now Has 2,029 Employes at 699 Establishments.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Chicago, May 6.—Secretary of Agriculture James Wilson today met in this city the chief meat inspector of every large city in the country, for the purpose of conferring on the application of the new meat laws. The inspectors, numbering about 150, proceeded at once to the Union stock yards. The yards and the packing houses were first inspected and an executive meeting was then held, at which the phases of the law were discussed.

Dr. A. D. Melvin, chief of the Bureau of Animal Industry, delivered an address to the conference later in the day. He declared that on July 1, 1906, there were engaged in meat inspection at 163 establishments 764 employes. There are now 2,029 employes at 669 establishments. There have been granted to retail dealers and butchers, as provided for by the law 3,558 certificates of exemption. Inspection has been withdrawn, Dr. Melvin declared, from 46 official establishments, principally because of failure to maintain a proper stadard of sanitation, and in some cases because of the use of prohibited preservatives.

Dr. Melvin declared that the bureau had received in a general way the co-operation of the packers.

WAS NOT MURDERED MAN.

Both Had Butterflies Tattooed on Their Heads.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Philadelphia, May 6.—It was discovered today that a mistake had been made in the identification of the body of a man found in the Schuykill river yesterday with 34 stab wounds in the region of the heart. The body has been identified as that of John Lovett, a man who worked on a wharf near where the corpse was found. Lovett walked into police headquarters today and requested the authorities to correct their records. Both Lovett and the unknown had a butterfly tattooed on the bald part of their heads and the mistake in the identification was due to the similarity of the tattoo marks. The body, in addition to the stab wounds, shows many other traces of a most brutal murder. The skull and neck were fractured, the face discolored and an arm and a wrist were broken. The body was found with a rope around the neck.

FELL FROM HOSPITAL.

Patient Swinging in Mid-Air Fell Fifty Feet to the Ground.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Fayetteville, N. C., May 6.—Jno. L. Sherwood, a well-known young business man of the Fork neighborhood, or Marion county, S. C., a patient in the institution, this morning fell a distance of 50 feet from the Highsmith Hospital in this city. The young man about 7 o'clock was seen by pedestrians on the street hanging by one hand from a window of the third floor crying for some one to save him. In a moment before any aid could reach him, he dropped to the ground, receiving a broken leg, a broken arm and some internal injuries. He was taken into the institution by the surgeons and nurses and given the best of attention, but it is hardly thought that he can live.

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MEXICO INSULTED BY GUATEMALA

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ANXIETY AT WASHINGTON

Guatemala Refused Mexicos Demand for Gen. Lima Who Hired Assassins to Murder Ex-President Barillas in Mexico City.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Washington, May 6.—Although telegraph wires have not brought to Washington the actual news of the severance of diplomatic relations of Guatemala and Mexico, officials here have no doubt that Mexico took the action today that will result in giving to the Guatemalan minister in Mexica passports for his withdrawal. The Mexican minister in Guatemala is now preparing to return home and the American charge, Philip Brown, secretary to the legation, has been instructed to look after Mexican interests in the Guatemalan capital upon the departure of the Mexican minister.

Ambassador Creel, of Mexico, has been in hourly anticipation of a message from his government informing him that the break had occurred between his country and Guatemala. He was advised that Guatemala had denied the request for the surrender of General Jose Lima, who is suspected of being implicated in the murder in Mexico of former President Barillas, of Guatemala, and that there was no alternative but for Mexico to consider the refusal as insult necessitating the discontinuance of relations between the two countries.

The State Department had numerous messages today from Minister Lee and from Secretary Brown. These dispatches confirmed the advices received from diplomatic representatives in Washington of the two countries that there was no possibility of Guatemala and Mexico arranging the controversy over the demand for the extradition of General Lima.

The formality of issuing passports in the two countries, each for the withdrawal of the Minister of the other government, will probably require a day or two.

The severance of diplomatic relations does not mean war, although the fact that the countries adjoin causes great anxiety in that there may be at any time invasions by one or the other into the territory of the enemy by irresponsible bands and doubtless trouble would result that might easily end in declarations of hostilities. Officials of the State Department intend to use their good offices in an effort to adjust the present difficulty.

Dr. Toledo Herrarte, the Guatemalan Minister, conferred with Assistant Secretary Bason today concerning the situation, and said that he hoped that there would be a settlement soon.

BLACK HAND TRIAL ENDS.

Sealed Verdict of Guilty Against Eleven Italians.

(By Wire to The Morning Star.)

Wilkesbarre, Pa., May 6.—Eleven of the 13 Italians who had been on trial here charged with "black hand" crimes were declared guilty today when the sealed verdict of the jury was opened. The other two defendants were acquitted. Those found guilty are Charles Buffulina, Antonio Taglorina, Charles Gonzaza, Josey Comelln, Steven Lattore, Salvatore Luchinna, Pietro Luchinna, Charles Domenican, Guechina Gimmone, Vincent Loubonne, and Charles Cornella. The principal charge against the men at the trial was the blowing up of the home of an Italian named Rizza because he refused to pay money to a band of men calling themselves the "Black Hand" society. District Attorney Salsburg said that the prisoners would be tred on two other charges against them, dynamiting and attempting to kill. The prisoners received the verdict with the utmost indifference.

AFTER FERTILIZER TRUST.

Alabama Has Begun Legislative Inquiry Into Iniquity.

(By Wire to the Morning Star.)

Montgomery, Ala., May 6.—Alleging that there exists a fertilizer trust, inquitous in its operations in Alabama, a legislative committee began work today to investigate it. The committee is headed by Senator M. L. Leith, who asserted in the Senate some weeks ago, that fertilizers of the same grade and excellence made at Florence, Ala., cost the Alabama farmer as much as that made at Baltimore. Fifty witnesses have been summoned.

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THE A. D. T. MESSENGERS WILL ALSO CALL FOR TELEGRAMS FOR THE WESTERN UNION TELEGRAPH CO., OR FOR NOTES OR SMALL PACKAGES TO BE DELIVERED ANYWHERE IN THE CITY. NO CHARGES FOR THE TELEGRAMS, AND BUT A SMALL CHARGE FOR NOTES. FOR THIS SERVICE CALL WESTERN UNION, 'PHONE 2. BUT FOR ADVERTISEMENTS ALWAYS CALL THE STAR OFFICE, 'PHONE 51.

WANTED—Three or four rooms suitable for light housekeeping, furnished or unfurnished. Address "Roomer," this office. may 7-1t

WANTED AT ONCE—Double-entry bookkeeper, male or female. Must understand the use of Remington typewriter. Apply to South Eastern Lumber Co., Ashpole, N. C. may 7-tu-thur.

AN UP-TO-DATE Cottage for rent on Wrightsville Beach, known as Pearsall cottage; has eight rooms completely furnished; servants' quarters, bath and electric lights. Terms reasonable. M. C. Darby & Co., 114 1-2 Princess street, real estate agents. may 7-1t

THE CONTEST CLOSES today and a committee composed of Messrs. T. H. Wright, J. M. Hall, H. L. Vollers, Capt. Wm. F. Robertson and Col. Walker Taylor will decide the proper name for the new store Mr. Capps will open on Princess street. The result will be made known Wednesday. may 5-tf

A BOY who is not afraid to handle a broom or a bucket of water may secure employment by making immediate application at the Star office. Color of boy not important provided he is not green. may5-3t

WANTED—Experienced sawyer at saw mill near Elkton, N. C Right price paid to the right man. Apply at once. M. D. Felton, Elkton, N. C. may 3-1w*

BOARD AND ROOM for married couple or two young men. Apply 212 Walnut street. apr 30 tf

BOY about 13 to 14 years old is wanted at the Star office to sweep out, bring water, etc. apr 28 3t

UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE the following cars will not run beyond Wrightsville except on Sunday: Ten, 11:30 and 1:30 o'clock. apr 25-tf

THE OLD ESTABLISHED and reliable Wilmington Pressing Club is still serving its customers with its usual promptness and at moderate prices. Clothes called for and delivered. mch 31-tf

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W. B. Cooper,

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Special Hour Sales Morning and Afternoon.
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Some days he saved.

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50 Cents

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So fast did his money grow that he soon had

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Then he worked and saved to get

$10.00

At the end of one year he was delighted to find that he had saved up

$100.00

You can do the same. Come to us and get a BEAUTIFUL POCKET SAVINGS BANK FREE.

The People's Savings Bank,

Orton Hotel Building. Branch, 704 North Fourth Street.

may 7-tf.

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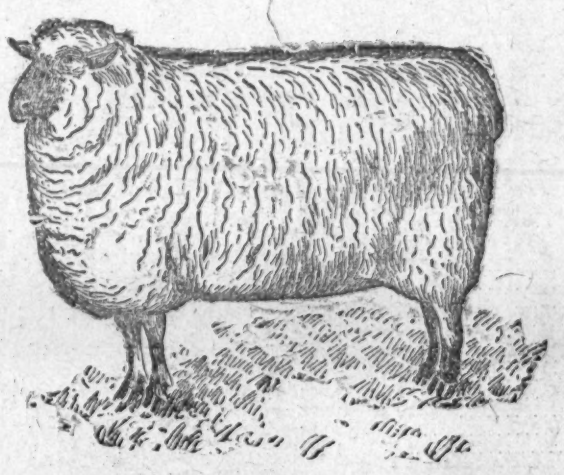

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